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JURY CHOSEN IN PANAMA CANAL LIBEL

All Business Men Selected in Case of Government vs. Press Publishing Company.

THERE ARE 14 COUNTS

Greatest Legal Drama That Has Been Staged for Many Years.

FIRST CASE OF KIND

New York World's Counsel Makes That Point in Examining the Talesmen.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—"I move the trial of the case of the United States against the Press Publishing Co."

It was with these words that Henry A. Wise, United States District Attorney for the Southern District of New York, introduced to the notice of United States District Judge Charles M. Hough, sitting as a Circuit Judge in the Federal Building yesterday, the case brought by the Government at the instance of ex-President Roosevelt against the corporation publishing the New York World.

This action in its 14 counts in effect charges the New York World with circulating in the United States reservations at West Point and in the United States Postoffice in this city of an alleged criminal libel of Mr. Roosevelt, President Taft, Douglas Robison, a brother-in-law of Mr. Roosevelt; Charles P. Taft, a brother of the President, and William Nelson Cromwell, a lawyer and promoter of big enterprises.

It is the second to reach the courts of a series of prosecutions based on practically identical newspaper articles printed during the presidential campaign of 1908. The first case heard was that against Delavan Smith and C. R. Williams, proprietors of the Indianapolis News, whose extradition from Indianapolis to Washington for trial was demanded by the Government for the same offense as charged against the World. Judge Anderson denied the application of the Government at Indianapolis on Oct. 13. Similar proceedings for the extradition of employes of The World have not as yet been taken.

Considerable time was consumed in filling the jury box after each side had exercised its challenging prerogative, but this afternoon the jury was finally completed and sworn in.

District Attorney Wise opened for the Government by stating the general nature of the case he expected to prove, including the alleged libeling of Theodore Roosevelt and William H. Taft, President and Secretary of War, respectively, and others during the last presidential campaign and the circulation of the alleged libelous matter in Federal territory.

Judge Hough insisted that all the facts of general knowledge enumerated in the indictment be either admitted or proved.

The defense's attorneys admitted the publication and delivery of the papers containing the alleged libels and various incidental facts. Introduction of documents bearing upon the case followed.

During the six hours that the court devoted to the preliminary move in the greatest legal drama staged by the Government in many years, 24 talesmen were examined in an effort to obtain a jury, and 12 had been accepted when the court adjourned subject to three peremptory challenges allowed to each side when the court convenes today. The men in the jury box last night were:

No. 1—William H. Taylor, real estate, of 29 West Seventy-fourth street.

No. 2—Edward G. Nelson, broker, of 71 Broadway, residence Piermont, N. Y.

No. 3—David O'Keefe, superintendent, 1162 West Farms road.

No. 4—William Scott, secretary of 25 Dunne street, residence 33 West Sixty-third street.

No. 5—Albert J. Spencer, theatrical manager, of 1440 Broadway, residence, 712 West End avenue.

No. 6—George H. B. Mitchell, office 61 Water street, residence 142 West Seventy-second street.

No. 7—Daniel Frost, merchant, 33 Howard street, residence 316 West 112th street.

No. 8—William A. Cristian, umbrellas, 165 West 120th street.

No. 9—Alfred E. Fountain Jr., builder, 116 East Twenty-third street, residence 109 West 119th street.

No. 10—A. J. Clark, real estate, and insurance, 194 Broadway, residence 272 Manhattan street.

No. 11—William W. Perrine, manager, 130 White street, residence 850 West End avenue.

No. 12—George Ten Eyck, accountant, 850 West Twenty-sixth street, residence 65 West 118th street.

The examination of the talesmen consumed the entire session of the court and was most thorough and exhaustive, establishing by the line of interrogation by counsel these two important facts:

1. That the United States Government will contend it has been libelled by The World.

2. That the Government will seek to

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ST. LOUIS GIRL AND JAPANESE SHE IS DETERMINED TO MARRY



"BRAVEST" AND "FINEST" AT ODDS ON HERO WORK

Firemen Declare Policemen Take Undue Credit for Rescues.

Alleging that members of the Police Department have formed a hero syndicate, firemen of the city have declared war against the guardians of the peace and unless Chiefs Creecy and Swingley intervene and bring about an amicable adjustment of affairs between the two departments the "finest" and the "bravest", may not speak as they pass by.

The feud has already reached the stage of a refusal on the part of the firemen to allow policemen to sleep in the engine houses when times are quiet on the beat. To what extent it may proceed is a matter of conjecture.

Rescue by firemen is traditional, but recently, according to report, the policemen have slipped into the game so consistently and persistently that they have succeeded in stealing all the thunder from the fire laddies. At least, that is what the firemen assert.

The firemen complain, and the records of the Police Department verify it, that their names are omitted from the police reports of fires and that by innuendo the names of policemen are substituted for those of firemen in the role of heroes.

The police report of an early morning fire invariably sets forth that Patrolman So-and-so discovered the fire, sounded the alarm and then "assisted" in getting the doomed occupants from the burning building.

That single word "assisted" is the bone of contention between the "bravest" and the "finest." The "bravest" say the word leaves the inference that the "finest" assisted each other in the work of rescue when, as a matter of fact, it was the firemen who did the whole work.

They contend that the policemen should report the simple facts and ignore generalities. The report should contain, they say, the names of the firemen who actually rescued the people from the fire and then if the policeman wants a little of the glory he might add that he was present at the fire and saw the firemen carrying the people down the ladders.

"We don't want any medals or applause for what we do," said an officer of high rank in the Fire Department, "but we believe that credit should be placed where credit is due.

"Frequently policemen before the arrival of the Fire Department enter a smoke filled building and arouse the occupants but whenever there is any carrying down the ladder to be done the firemen are the ones who do it.

"It happens very often that a policeman does not reach the scene of a fire until long after the blaze has been extinguished and everybody has been saved. Then he has to go to the engine house to get notes for his report. He never gives the firemen credit for saving any lives. He mentions in his report that there were narrow escapes and then mentions his own name, leaving those who read the report to imagine that he made the narrow escapes possible."

The police say the reason they omit the names of firemen from their reports is that they have to make their reports brief as possible, and they do not consider the work of the firemen of sufficient importance from a police standpoint to incorporate it in the reports.

GIRL'S PLANS TO MARRY JAPANESE HALT FOR A DAY

Miss Hazel Vert Agrees to Listen to What Her Relatives Want to Say.

Miss Hazel Vert, 17 years old, has consented to a truce with the members of her family in the campaign which she is making to wed her Japanese employer, F. K. Yoden, who boards with the girl's aunt, Mrs. Zella Uhlmann, 6214 Clayton avenue.

Miss Vert says she will devote an entire day to listening to what her relatives urge against the match, and that if they can finish in a day she will start out again Wednesday on a hunt for a license clerk who is not prejudiced against Japanese bridegrooms.

Thus far Miss Vert has stormed the marriage license offices at Clayton, East St. Louis, Belleville and Collinsville, without getting a license. The girl almost won at Belleville Monday, through the aid of a deputy clerk, who is a friend of the Japanese suitor, but County Clerk Miller interfered. When the truce with her family is over Miss Vert says she will attack the Alton office, as the start of a fresh campaign.

Family Opposes Marriage.

Miss Vert is contesting a triangular fight with her father, her mother's second husband, and her mother. Her aunt, Mrs. Uhlmann, is also in the alliance against her.

The aunt has attempted a compromise. The first article of the compromise is that Miss Vert, when she becomes the Jap's wife, shall not be compelled to don a kimono in public.

Miss Vert has a partiality for Japanese knick-knacks. She has three Oriental kimonos and can fix her hair a la ping-pong with a pink chrysanthemum crowning it. Her fiance is 5 feet tall and weighs 95 pounds. Miss Vert is 5 feet 4 inches and weighs 120 pounds.

"Hazel became acquainted with Yoden," said Mrs. Uhlmann, "at a Japanese music teacher's studio. Since last fall she has been cashier and soprano at his nickelodeon in Maplewood. Yoden also has the rolling ball game concession at Forest Park Highlands. He is wealthy."

Miss Vert's father, Calvin Vert, is a railroad employe and resides at Greenfield, Mo. Her mother is now the wife of Jacob Kahm, a cattleman of Fort Smith, Ark. He came to St. Louis with two carloads of cattle Monday, and it was at his urging that Hazel consented to a day's truce. He had not seen her in three years. Kahm says he wishes to take Hazel back with him to Fort Smith.

Miss Vert is a sprightly brunette and before she decided to marry she had an ambition to go on the stage. She started out with "The Streets of New York," a company organized from local talent, which gave two performances in South St. Louis and then disbanded.

LOCOMOTIVE AND SEVEN CARS WRECKED AT RIVER DES PERES

The locomotive and seven passenger cars of Rock Island train No. 28 ran off the track as it approached the River des Peres near Forsythe Junction Tuesday morning. Nobody was hurt, but traffic was tied up at that point for five hours.

The passengers left the stranded train and were brought to St. Louis on street cars on the Olive lines. The cause of the derailment is supposed to be a broken rail.

DILLON NAMED TO HEAR MEAT PRICE PLAINTS IN STATE

St. Louisan Chosen Commissioner as High Court Approves Inquiry.

QUOTATIONS IN SLUMP

Lower Figures for Food Products Rule in This and Other Cities

DEMAND GROWS SLACK

Consumers Remodel Bills of Fare to Correspond With Their Purses.

That the taking of testimony will begin within a few days in the Beef Trust investigation in Missouri is indicated by the appointment of Judge Daniel Dillon of St. Louis as special examiner Tuesday. The appointment was announced by Chief Justice Valliant of the Missouri Supreme Court.

The selection of Judge Dillon followed the granting, by the Supreme Court, of Attorney Major's petition for an investigation. The decision came as a surprise because of its suddenness, as a consideration of the Attorney-General's petition was not expected so soon.

Prices Take General Slump.

A precipitate slump in the wholesale prices of nearly all foodstuffs, reported Tuesday in St. Louis, Chicago, New York and other cities, indicate that the back of the famine prices that have prevailed temporarily is broken. The decline is explained everywhere as a victory for meat, egg and butter strikers, and as a confession of alarm from the packers, storage houses and creameries.

Retail grocers in all parts of St. Louis report Tuesday an abrupt drop of 5 and 6 cents a pound for butter and 3 cents a dozen for eggs. The biggest drop ever recorded on the butter market occurred on the Elgin (Ill.) Board of Trade, which controls the wholesale butter market. The price fell from 33½ to 30 cents. Butter is retailing in St. Louis today at 37 and 38 cents, against 43 cents Monday. Eggs are 35 cents today, against 38 cents yesterday.

The wholesalers' slump in the prices of meats is not yet reflected in the retail butcher shops of St. Louis, steaks of all grades, chops and roasts still maintaining their high altitude. Bacon still is 30 to 35 cents a pound and potatoes are 30 cents a peck, although the wholesale markets report a sharp decline in these commodities. It is expected that corresponding reductions will be made by the retailers on Wednesday or Thursday.

Lack of Demand Causes Slump.

The explanation for the slump in butter and eggs is that many thousands of families declared informal strikes against them, as the foods which they could do without. On that account, grocers have failed to make their usual orders upon the wholesalers, and they in turn reduced their orders on the creameries and the big egg merchants. Their fright is shown in the sudden decline of 10 to 16 per cent.

At the opening of the St. Louis Produce Exchange Tuesday eggs were quoted at a wholesale price of 29 cents, as against 31 cents Monday, and butter at 31 cents, as against 34 cents yesterday.

Dispatches from Elgin state that the sudden drop, coming in the midst of the agitation against the high price of food,

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LIKE MISSOURI POLITICS, WEATHER IS UNSETTLED, BUT IT WILL BE WARMER

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	32	9 a. m.	34
3 a. m.	32	11 a. m.	41
5 a. m.	32	1 p. m.	46
7 a. m.	31	3 p. m.	50

Yesterday's Temperature.

Maximum ..... 36 at 3 p. m.
Minimum ..... 27 at 7 a. m.



"It's all one way down in the Sixth Missouri Congressional District," said the man who was reading the party organ.

"So it is," said the man who was reading the other party organ.

"The voters are rising as one man to protest against 'Cannonism,' and the Republican candidate will only get a few dozen votes at the outside."

"Why, no, that isn't the way it is at all. The voters there are all enthusiastic over the achievements of the Hadley administration and Secretary Nagel is being cheered to the echo, while only a corporal's guard is turning out to the Democratic rallies."

"Where did you get that?"

"Out of this organ."

"Well, I got mine out of this other one. We'll know in a week, anyway."

The official forecast: Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday; warmer tonight with the temperature above freezing.

C. R. DRUMMOND, JUST DIVORCED, WEDS AT 1 A. M.

He and Miss Charlotte J. Bente United After Midnight in Clayton.

WENT OUT IN AUTO

They Woke Up Marriage License Clerk and Minister to Perform Ceremony.

DIVORCE WAS HURRIED

Married His First Wife After Elopement to Alton in 1898.

Four weeks after his first wife obtained a "hurry-up" divorce at Clayton, Charles R. Drummond was bridegroom in a "hurry-up" midnight wedding at the same place. He was married shortly before 1 a. m. Tuesday to Miss Charlotte J. Bente by Pastor Langtry of the Clayton Presbyterian Church.

Drummond, whose first marriage in 1898 followed an elopement to Alton, is now but 32 years old. His bride gave her age as 20.

Drummond and Miss Bente, accompanied by a young man, arrived at the county seat about midnight in an automobile. They were unfamiliar with the town and called on a passerby, Otto Preiss, a copyist in the County Recorder's office, to direct them.

"My name is Drummond," said one of the men in the auto to Preiss, "I want to get a marriage license."

Admitted Recent Divorce.

"Weren't you divorced out here lately?" asked Preiss.

"Yes," replied Drummond readily, "I wanted to get the marriage license that day, but"—

A call from the young woman in the auto checked him, and he did not tell Preiss what had prevented the carrying out of his plan.

Preiss got into the machine and directed the other occupants to License Clerk Schaedler's home on Meramec avenue. The clerk, accustomed to such interruptions to his slumber, asked only the names and ages of the applicants, and in a few moments lights were again out in the Schaedler home, and the auto party was on its way to the home of the Rev. W. B. Langtry.

The minister, to whom a midnight marriage is no novelty, performed the desired service, and shortly before 1 a. m. the automobile spun away from his home. Pastor Langtry said Tuesday that he did not recall the name signed by the only witness to the certificate, which the couple took away.

Bride a Minister's Daughter.

The bride is the daughter of the Rev. Frederick Bente, a member of the faculty of Concordia Seminary, an institution for the training of Lutheran ministers. The family lives at 2621 Winnebago street and Miss Bente was employed downtown as a stenographer.

Relatives of the young woman said to a Post-Dispatch reporter Tuesday that the marriage was a surprise to them, as they had understood Miss Bente was engaged to a young clergyman, one of her father's former students. The minister, they said, lives in Kansas.

At the home Miss Bente's mother said she had no knowledge of the marriage and knew only that the young woman had not been at home since the day before.

Eloped With Schoolgirl.

The first Mrs. Drummond was formerly Maude Ringen, daughter of John Ringen, a wealthy retired stove manufacturer. Drummond was a student and she a schoolgirl when they eloped to Alton and were married nearly 12 years ago.

Her divorce petition was filed at Clayton Dec. 23 last and the decree was handed down five days later. The case was one of four, tried within the past two months at Clayton, which have called attention to the speed with which divorces can be obtained there. The other cases were those of Grace Van Studdiford, Mrs. Sim T. Price Jr. and Mrs. Samuel Thompson.

Mrs. Drummond charged in her petition that Drummond drank to excess and squandered his money in bucket shops, that he deprived her of society and amusement and treated her relatives with discourtesy. She testified that he threatened to kill himself several times and that she once knocked a revolver from his hand as, she believed, he was about to shoot himself.

Custody of the three children was granted to the wife, but hours were fixed at which Drummond should have the company of the children—the boy, Charles, 9 years old, for one day every two weeks, and the two girls, 7 and 3 years old, one afternoon each month.

Drummond did not appear in court during the trial and his lawyer did not question the wife's witnesses. He is president of the Drummond Realty and Investment Co., and is one of the heirs of the Drummond millions, made in the tobacco business.

Novelist Named in Divorce Suit.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—W. J. Locke, the novelist, was named as a co-respondent in an undefended divorce suit brought by Percy Clese, an engineer, against his wife, a decree being granted the plaintiff.

HEIRESS WHO IS ENGAGED TO PROMINENT ST. LOUIS CLUBMAN



CLUB WOMEN TO PIN DANGER SIGN ON RISQUE PLAYS

Movement by Wednesday Organization Expected to Become Nation Wide.

ZANGWILL WOULD HAVE POLICE CENSOR STAGE

HARE COURT TEMPLE, E. C., Jan. 11, 1910.

DEAR MR. GREVE—My views about the censorship may be best had in the Blue Book, published by our Royal Commission. In a nutshell, it is paradoxically found to hamper the serious moralist and to protect the pornographer.

Now that our commission has reported practically for the censor's abolition, it is curiously belated to try and create him in America. A public police prosecution is the natural and best remedy for public indecency.

An inquisition sitting in the dark is subversive of all our modern notions of liberty and would tend to keep back thought as Galileo's was kept back by the Roman inquisition. Yours sincerely

ISRAEL ZANGWILL.

Members of the Wednesday Club, one of the most exclusive organizations of women in St. Louis, have under way plans for a boycott of salacious, indecent and offensive theatrical performances.

So far as is known, it is the purpose of Wednesday Club members to exercise the minutest discrimination in approving performances that may be viewed by persons of breeding and fine sensibility, and if ideas submitted at recent meetings are adopted, one may live to see playwrights striving for the approval of a small social committee delegated to sanction or condemn.

While the plan originates in St. Louis, it is expected that the movement may become national in scope. Through the National Federation of Women's Clubs first performances might be viewed in the producing cities of the country by special committees whose duty it would be to exact dramatic renditions free from suggestion that would offend the most fastidious.

Bad Shows to Be Shunned.

Approval or disapproval of any performance thus would be heralded to federated women's clubs, and the admonition given to use every influence possible to discourage patronage among women.

The committee of the women's club which has the boycott under consideration consists of 10 members, with Mrs. John Green of 3670 Washington avenue as chairman. It is understood that this committee is now in communication with several women's clubs in New York City, arranging for information about new productions there.

Mrs. Green was seen by a Post-Dispatch reporter at her home, but she refused to detail the plans now under consideration.

"I do not pretend to say that a plan

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MISS ELSA LEMP IS ENGAGED TO THOS. H. WRIGHT

Heiress Will Receive $100,000 by Mother's Will on Wedding Day.

Miss Elsa Lemp, the only unmarried daughter of the late William J. Lemp, will shortly announce her engagement to Thomas H. Wright, son of Mrs. Virginia Wright of 33 Westmoreland place.

This became positively known Tuesday to friends of the families. Neither of the principals would speak for publication, nor would any near relative affirm or deny the engagement.

Miss Lemp, heiress to one-seventh of the $10,000,000 Lemp estate, will, by a provision of her mother's will, receive $100,000 on her wedding day. The remainder of her share will be hers absolutely when she reaches the age of 30.

Miss Lemp since the death of her parents has made her home with her brother, Edwin A. Lemp. They now live at the St. Regis Apartments.

Wright, who is one of the most prominent of St. Louis clubmen, lives, as does his mother, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles Parsons Peltus, in Westmoreland place.

His brother, Thurston Wright, was married last fall to Miss Virginia Frew of Pittsburg, daughter of William N. Frew, a steel multimillionaire. Miss Frew was one of the "billion dollar chorus" in a widely advertised charity carnival in Pittsburg.

Get Black Hand Note.

At the time of the Wright-Frew marriage, Mrs. Wright received a letter of "Black Hand" type from a youth, who demanded a sum of money under threats. The youth was caught by detectives at the Postoffice and leniency was shown because of his evident lack of mentality.

Mrs. George W. Simmons is a sister of "Tom" Wright, as the bridegroom-to-be is generally called.

Miss Lemp's fortune was left her by the will of her mother, Mrs. Julia Lemp, who died at the family residence in South St. Louis April 16, 1908. The will divided the $10,000,000 estate equally among the seven children, Mrs. Annie Lemp Konta, wife of Alexander Konta; Mrs. Hilda Pabst of Milwaukee, William J. Lemp Jr., Louis, Charles, Edwin and Elsa Lemp.

The will provided that no son-in-law should serve as an executor of the estate. The four sons were named as executors.

Mrs. Lemp was the sole heir of her husband, William J. Lemp, who died Feb. 13, 1904. Mrs. Lemp's will was made one month before her death.

Miss Lemp has traveled extensively in the last few years. She is a blonde of unaffected manners and has been greatly admired since she entered society several seasons ago.

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HOUTS APPOINTED; JEP HOWE CALLS IT DOUBLE-CROSS

Blames Senator Warner for Withdrawal of Newton for District Attorney.

EX-BOSS IS MAROONED

Climbed Into Akins-Nagel Bandwagon Only to Find It Stranded.

WHAT HE TOLD TAFT

Praised Hawes as "Nice Gentleman," Says Taft Seemed Surprised.

Charles A. Houts was nominated for United States District Attorney at St. Louis by President Taft Tuesday. His name was sent to the Senate at noon for confirmation, according to a dispatch.

The nomination of Houts followed the withdrawal of Cleveland A. Newton, rival applicant. Newton, who is making speeches in the Sixth Congressional District, sent his withdrawal by telegraph to President Taft. Houts was scheduled for nomination to the $4500 job Tuesday, regardless of whether Newton withdrew.

The appointment of Houts is considered a big victory by the Republican organization over Jeptha D. Howe, the former Republican boss of St. Louis, who, with Secretary Nagel and Postmaster T. J. Akins, was the chief supporter of Newton.

Akins is hard hit by the outcome of the contest. He was one of Newton's original sponsors, and it was on Akins' "tip" that Howe, soon after learning that the district attorneyship was to become vacant by Harry Blodgett's resignation, declared himself for Newton.

Not only Akins, but Senator Warner, who is supposed to speak the last word in Federal patronage matters, declared themselves, Howe said Tuesday, in favor of Newton. Accordingly, when Howe added his indorsement to Newton's candidacy, he had every reason to think he was getting into the bandwagon.

He did get into the wagon, but the band got out, or the horses ran away, or something happened, for the first thing Howe knew, Warner was opposing Newton and supporting Houts.

Howe declared Tuesday to a Post-Dispatch reporter that Senator Warner had "double crossed" Newton.

Howe declares he stuck to Newton until the last, but he realized all the time that if Warner exercised his senatorial prerogative it would be impossible for himself, Mr. Nagel or anybody else to defeat his (the Senator's) choice.

At the same time, Howe took occasion to deny that he had ever promised to support Houts.

Prefacing a discussion of the matter with the statement that he is now out of politics and desires to devote himself to the practice of law, irrespective of the demands of his political services, Howe said:

"I know absolutely that Senator Warner had originally decided to support Newton for District Attorney.

Had Friendly Luncheon.

"It was some time in September, I believe, that I was the Senator's guest at luncheon when the question of a successor to Blodgett came up. Collector Gallenkamp was also present. Senator Warner remarked that nothing would give him greater pleasure than to recommend Newton's appointment. He referred to Newton's part in the United States senatorial contest at Jefferson City five years ago.

"He recalled that Newton was very active on his behalf when it became apparent that the deadlock between the Niedringhaus and Kerens forces could be broken. Subsequently, the Senator told how he took Newton into his office at Kansas City, making him Assistant District Attorney there.

"Prior to this meeting, however, I understand that the Senator told Postmaster Akins that he expected to favor Newton for the place.

"This was convincing enough for me. I felt that Warner had it in his power to name the District Attorney, as the Constitution states the appointment shall be made by and with the advice of the Senate.

"I went for Houts and he came to my office, where I explained the situation to him and suggested that as Senator Warner had taken up Newton's cause it would be useless for him to remain a candidate.

"Houts appeared to agree with me and

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FOOD PRICE CUT AS GRAND JURY OPENS SESSIONS

Meat, Butter and Egg Market Quotations Show a Decided Reduction.

INQUIRY TO BE SLOW

Judge Landis Accuses Sims of Using Newspapers to Prejudice Public.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—A Federal grand jury, duly organized and solemnly charged, is now, for the third time in six years, attempting to unmask the methods and punish the offenses of the men who corner food. The packers are facing the inquisition with something akin to panic. For three days they have been letting down prices. The effect already is felt in the retail trade.

Judge Landis' charge was marked by an outburst in which he inferentially charged District Attorney Sims with attempting to prejudice the grand jury by using the newspapers and influence of "Government functionaries" against the packers.

Several subpenas were served yesterday, but were made not returnable until Thursday. In order to familiarize the jury with its duties and legal procedure, routine matters of an unimportant character will be handled for two days. Secret service men have all important witnesses under surveillance and have subpenas ready to serve if any should make an effort to leave the city.

Inquiry to Last Two Months.

No haste will be observed in this inquiry. The Government, said one of its attaches today, will proceed quietly and slowly, weighing well each move. The grand jury is not expected to return indictments before six weeks or two months, so thorough will be the investigation.

The men the Government wants to punish are J. Ogden Armour, Louis F. Swift, Edward F. Swift, Edward Morris and Edward Tilden. The latter is president of the National Packing Co. The action is brought under the Sherman anti-trust law.

Coincident with the organization of the Federal Grand Jury to probe the beef trust food supplies of all kinds hit the toboggan all over the West. The market on the Board of Trade for the packers' provisions made the longest slump in years. Cash pork fell $1 a barrel and the May option 75 cents. This is a break of $2 a barrel in three days. Cash pork closed at $20 a barrel. Short ribs and lard followed in the wake of pork.

Retail butchers have reduced prices of fresh meats, pork two cents a pound and beef from one to two cents a pound. Wheat took a tumble at the same time, falling from $1.11 a bushel to $1.09. Corn went down a cent a bushel.

Testimony in State Meat Inquiry Will Begin This Week

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caused general comment as to the cause. It was admitted by the board members that the drop was due largely to the agitation and to the tendency in many localities to abstain temporarily from high-priced foodstuffs. Word had reached Elgin that some localities had entered into a butter boycott. Before the board met it was generally believed a drop would be necessary. When the quotation committee reported the 30-cent price, it was greeted with applause.

In New York milk, eggs and butter led the procession of receding prices in food products Tuesday. Nation-wide agitation, aided by potent local influences, have brought about the drop. Meat, too, is on the decline following a greatly reduced consumption.

Quotations Cut in New York.

Milk is down a cent a quart already on at least two big dealers' routes; butter in the best qualities has been cut 5 cents a pound, and eggs are off 5 cents a dozen in New York markets. Storage eggs that have been selling as "strictly fresh" at high prices are no longer put out as such, the New York wholesalers say.

In Cleveland there was a further drop in the wholesale flesh market Tuesday. Hogs were 20 and 25 cents lower and cattle dropped 10 and 15 cents. Sirloin steaks were sold by retailers at 15 cents a pound and round steaks at 13 cents—a price lower than any quoted there in a year.

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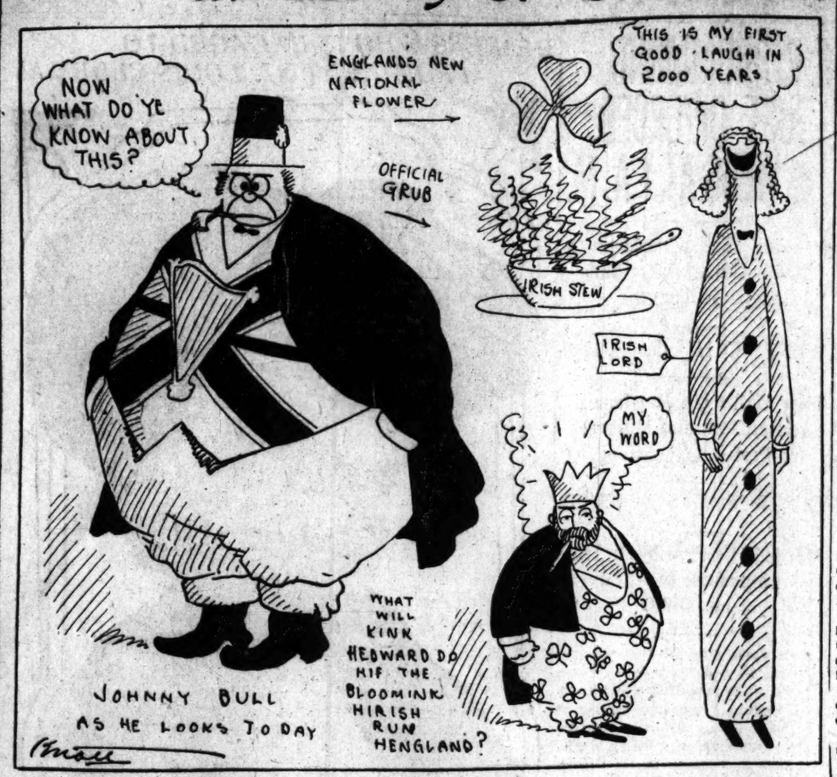
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Election Leaves J. Bull at Mercy of Shillalah



The election in England places the Irish members of Parliament in possession of the balance of power. They will be courted with promises of concessions by both Liberals and Conservatives.—News Item.

O, JOHN BULL wears the shamrock now,
And wields an oak shillalah;
He chokes on fiery usquebaugh
In lieu of port and ale-ah.

He hums "The Wearing of the Green,"
And sings "The Harp of Tira;"
He names his children O and Mac,
And Sarsfield and O'Meara.

"BEGOBS," says John, "an' it's mesilf
Thot loved the Irish iver;
'Tis darlint sport to trot a bog,
An' shpade the peat from kiver."

ST. LOUISANS TELL HOW IRISH WILL BOSS ENGLAND

Members From Ireland Will Hold Balance of Power in Next Parliament and John Redmond Will Have Much Power.

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Nation-Wide Move Against Bad Plays Is Plan of Women

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to disapprove certain plays has not been discussed in the Wednesday Club," she said. "We have several plans under consideration in the section of the club of which I am chairman.

"We believe that something should be done to protect the young people of the country. Every mother, aunt, daughter and sister considers that the time is right for some sort of action, but just what this action should be we have not definitely decided."

ROYAL COMMISSION ADVISES ABOLITION OF STAGE CENSOR

The creation of a stage censor in St. Louis would be a backward step, according to Israel Zangwill, author, playwright and member of the Royal Commission on censorship in England. Zangwill expressed his views in a letter to Clifford Greve of 621 Washington boulevard, who recently took a decided stand against censorship in St. Louis.

The author says in his letter that the Royal Commission has practically reported in favor of the abolition of the stage censor in Great Britain. Zangwill is the author of many books and plays, among them "Merely Mary Ann," recently played by Eleanor Robson.

Zangwill favors a police censorship only. He says the stage censor in England has been found to hamper the serious moralist and to protect the pornographer.

At a recent meeting of ministers and others favoring censorship in St. Louis, Greve took the ground that it would amount to an abridgment of the liberties of the people. He wrote a letter to Zangwill, asking him for his opinion on the subject. As a member of the Royal Commission the Ghetto author has studied seriously all phases of the question.

For the reason that Zangwill is familiar with the workings of the censors in England, where the system has long prevailed, Greve attaches special importance to his letter.

K. of P.'s Hold Campfire.

The annual inspection of Hope Company, U. R. K. of P., took place at the armory, Thirteenth street and Chouteau avenue, Monday evening. A number of sir knights from St. Louis Company, No. 55, were present. After inspection a camp fire was held, at which roast pig and beans were served.

CURE YOUR RHEUMATISM AT HOME.

A Remedy Which Assists Nature Produces a Cure Which Is Permanent as This Case Proves.

Every sufferer from rheumatism wants to be cured and to stay cured.

The prospect of the return of the same old rheumatism every year is not attractive to anybody who has gone through one siege. Most treatments aim simply to "keep down" the rheumatic poisons in the blood. The tonic treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills has proved by hundreds of cures that it builds up the blood to a point that enables it to cast out these poisons through the regular channels of excretion, the bowels, kidneys and the skin. When this is done the rheumatism is permanently cured and as long as the blood is kept pure and rich the patient will be immune from attacks of rheumatism.

Mr. John H. Burns, a contractor, of Harper, Kansas, says:

"A few years ago I had a severe attack of rheumatism, which was caused by exposure to dampness and cold. There were sharp, shooting pains through both of my legs. The pains would change to my shoulders and the small of my back. I was lame and sore in some part of my body all of the time. The pains were agonizing and became so much worse that I was finally confined to my bed for three months. I was perfectly helpless and not able to turn over without assistance. I could not walk a step.

"I was treated by doctors at Hudson, South Dakota, and used different remedies and liniments but without much relief. I had been sick about three years when a friend gave me a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to try. He insisted that I quit all other medicine and take the pills. I did as he advised and before I had taken many boxes I was able to get around. I continued using the pills until I was completely cured. My wife has also taken Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for rheumatism with great benefit. We cannot praise them too highly."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be mailed, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

UNIONISTS AGAIN RECORD GAINS IN ENGLISH ELECTION

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Twenty-five results announced today complete the returns from yesterday's balloting for members of Parliament. Of the seats decided, the Unionists take 16, the Liberals 5, the Nationalists 3 and the Laborites 1. The standing of the parties as known this afternoon is:

Government coalition—Liberals 207, Irish Nationalists 72, Laborites 35.

Opposition—Unionists 237.

The Unionists have a monopoly of today's gains, placing to their credit eight out of the 25 returns of yesterday.

Austen Chamberlain for Worcestershire East and Sir A. F. Acland-Hood for the West Division of Somersetshire, the chief Unionist whip, are among the more prominent tariff reformers whose elections were announced today. The former increased his majority by 1300, while Acland-Hood returns to Parliament by a majority larger by 1000 than his previous figure.

Sir Charles D. Rose, a former partner of the American bank of Morton & Rose and a prominent sportsman, was defeated in the Newmarket Division of Cambridgeshire by the Unionist candidate, G. H. Verrall.

F. H. Newnes, the newspaper proprietor and director of the Westminster Gazette, was defeated in the Basset law division of Nottinghamshire by Barrister Hume Williams, a Unionist.

The Unionists also succeeded in making inroads on the Nationalists by capturing Mid-Tyrone, where a Healyite and a Redmondite divided the Nationalist vote.

[illegible] in 41 constituencies, including those of Premier Asquith in Fife, East, and War Secretary [illegible] in Staffordshire.

Howe Declares Newton Lost Job by a Double Cross

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said he would see me sometime the following week. He failed to come around, however, and the matter was dropped.

"These are facts and I merely recite them to show that my own position has been consistent from the beginning. Why Senator Warner changed I do not know. That was his privilege, I suppose."

Howe says he spent one hour and a half with President Taft during his recent trip to Washington, and that in the course of the conversation he took occasion to commend in a personal way Harry B. Hawes, Houts' law partner. It had been presumed that part of the opposition to Houts was based on Hawes' conspicuous Democratic connections.

"I said to the President," continued Howe, "that while Hawes and I disagreed politically, there was nothing I could or would say against him as a man.

"'Hawes,' I added, 'is as nice a gentleman as I ever met.

"The President appeared surprised at this complimentary reference, but made no comment."

Entertained in Washington.

Postmaster-General Hitchcock, Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh, Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel and Senator Warner were among those who entertained the former Republican chairman during his stay in Washington.

"I did not go to Washington of my own volition," explained Howe. "I was sent for, by whom I do not wish to say, and spent Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday of last week at the capital.

"Now that I'm back, I want to devote all my time to my law business, which has been getting behind.

"Is it true that you and Otto Stifel have come to the parting of the ways?"

"While there may exist some differences, we are not enemies," he answered.

"There isn't a more genial man than Otto Stifel and I don't think that he is going to permit a little matter to come between us.

"My only connection with the Republican party now is that of a private in the ranks. Some of my friends have urged me for chairman of the State Committee, but I want no further political honors. Nor do I think it is fair to criticise me in a political way when I am engaged in a law case. I am asking no favors and simply want a square deal."

Newton's telegram withdrawing from the race for District Attorney, which was sent from Clinton, Mo., where he is campaigning in the Sixth District, stated that his action was prompted by a desire to avoid official embarrassment, as he understood Senator Warner would oppose confirmation in the Senate if he was nominated by President Taft.

MAN NAMED BY TAFT TO SUCCEED BLODGETT



CHARLES A. HOUTS.

ALTEN S. MILLER TO BE PRESIDENT OF UNION ELECTRIC

Alten S. Miller, vice-president and general manager of the Union Electric Light and Power Co., will be chosen president of that corporation at the forthcoming meeting of the company's directors.

The stockholders election was held Tuesday. Festus J. Wade was elected a director, replacing Richard McCulloch, vice-president of the United Railways Co.

James Campbell, who was elected a director recently, succeeding Charles W. Wetmore, confirmed the information that Miller is to head the company, when seen by a Post-Dispatch reporter Tuesday.

He laughed merrily when asked if John I. Beggs would continue to manage the Milwaukee properties of the North American Co.

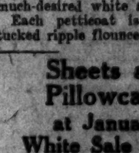
"I know of no contemplated changes up there," said Mr. Campbell.

Campbell has just purchased 58 acres at Greenwich, Conn., where his young daughter is completing her studies at the Ely finishing school.

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The Great "Dent's Sale" at Vandervoort's

Kid Gloves for Men, Women and Children

Annually about this time we receive these sample Kid Gloves from London, England, and "Dent's Sale" has become an institution in St. Louis. For many weeks women, and men, too, have been asking about it.

Tomorrow, Wednesday, it begins.

As usual, there are men's, women's and a fair sprinkling of children's gloves in this great sample assortment.

Entering at our Tenth street door, you will find the regular Glove counters filled to overflowing with these Gloves—women's, children's and men's—but for the greater convenience of our men friends, a complete assortment will be found at our Men's Furnishing Section.

Women's and Children's Kid Gloves—valued from $1.50 to $2.00 a pair. Sale price } 80c

Men's Kid Gloves—Tan, gray, black and white in a full range of sizes. $2.00 and $2.50 values, the pair } $1.15

Also a limited quantity of Men's Fleece and Fur-lined Gloves—samples—at less than half price.

Looking over these wonderfully well-made, high-class, fashionable Gloves we do not wonder that men and women alike wait for this sale and buy an ordinary year's supply.

Men's Half-Hose

Fine Imported 50c Values---the Pair 25c

A great special sale begins Wednesday morning, and not in six months have the men of St. Louis had as good an opportunity to buy fine socks.

The assortment contains plain and fancy lisle, also silk lisles, in plain colors; fashionable, fancy embroidered and vertical-stripe novelties are also included.

Every pair is full regular made and not a pair is worth less than 50c.

Wednesday—More of the White Sale Undermuslins

Come and get a few more garments before the end of the sale. One good feature is, that this week you may still be able to get one or two more of some particular pattern seen earlier in the sale, and which will not be duplicated again this season.

There is still good selection of the medium-grade underclothes for those who want them.

Corset Covers

48c—Dozens of splendid styles, all effectively trimmed with lace or embroidery and ribbon drawn.

White Petticoats

98c—Cambric top Petticoats with tucked and embroidery-trimmed ruffle.

$2.48—Fine Petticoats of cambric, inserted and trimmed with deep ruffle of open embroidery.

Chemises

98c—Chemises of nainsook, with embroidery ruffle on skirt.

Combinations

98c—Fine nainsook combinations of Corset Cover and Drawers, either embroidery or lace trimmed.

$1.98—Beautiful combinations of nainsook, with Swiss medallions and lace or alternating rows of Val. lace and dotted Swiss.

Nightgowns

79c—Muslin, nainsook and cambric gowns, daintily trimmed with lace or embroidery.

98c—Many excellent styles of slipover, high and V-neck Gowns, effectively trimmed with lace or embroidery.

Drawers

25c—Cambric Drawers, tucked and trimmed with hemstitched ruffle.

48c—Fifteen styles of Drawers, including the Princess; lace or embroidery trimmed.

Silk Petticoats At $3.95 Each

An excellently made Petticoat of excellent quality silk, in all the popular shades, as well as the much-desired white and black.

Each petticoat is made with tucked ripple flounce.

Those Sample Trimmings and Laces

will in all likelihood receive their last round-up on Wednesday.

The decorative possibilities wrapped up in almost every piece are wonderful.

Dress, Waist, Coat and Hat trimmings, all may be provided for. Then, too, pillows, dresser scarfs, etc. can be included in the list.

Half a yard to two yards are in each sample, and the prices run from 10c to $3.00 a piece—worth three to four times as much.

Sheets and Pillowcases at January White Sale Prices

It has been a wonderful, record-breaking time with all white stuffs, and especially household cottons.

This week is positively your last chance to benefit by the White Sale prices.

S-V-B No. 950 Quality Pillowcases

42x36	size, 20c value	15c
45x36	size, 22c value	16c
45x38½	size, 24c value	18c

S-V-B No. 950 Quality Ready-made Sheets

63x90	size, 75c value	55c
63x99	size, 83c value	65c
72x90	size, 83c value	65c
72x99	size, 95c value	75c
81x90	size, 95c value	75c
81x99	size, $1.03 value	80c
81x103½	size, $1.08 value	85c
81x108	size, $1.15 value	90c
90x99	size, $1.15 value	90c
90x103½	size, $1.20 value	95c
90x108	size, $1.25 value	$1.00

Pillowcases

Cambric-finish Pillowcases, sizes 42x36 and 45x36. Price 12c

Sheets

81x90 Sheets of heavy cotton with patent seam through center. Price 85c

Longcloth

Fine 12½c quality Longcloth, 36 inches wide. Sale Price, the yard 9c

The Home Journal Spring Quarterly

Is undoubtedly the best fashion journal published for the home.

It is national in its popularity, and even the professional dressmaker finds its suggestions of great practical value.

20c a copy is its price, but with each copy we give one pattern—any 15c pattern—free. Then the book costs but 5c.

The Ladies' Home Journal is also on sale at this department. Get the Valentine Number now. Price 10c

The Yearly Clean-up Among the Coats, Dresses and Waists Will Resume on Wednesday

This event has to do with the clearance of Misses' Garments as well as Women's, and the savings, in very many instances, amount to over half.

Without any exception the garments are the best of last season's styles, and the thriftily inclined may provide for the balance of this Winter and have excellent garments of proper style to start another.

$32.50 Broadcloth Dresses, $12.50
$30.00 Braided Dresses, $18.75
$35.00 One-piece Dresses of Broadcloth, $20.00
$42.50 Messaline Dresses, $25.00
$47.50 Widewale Serge Dresses, $30.00
$75.00 Cloth Dresses, handsomely trimmed, $40.00
$75.00 Crepe Meteor Dresses, $45.00
$22.50 Inverness Coats of plain and Widewale Serge, $14.00
$32.50 Auto Coats of Imported Materials, $17.75
$42.50 Broadcloth Coats, black and colored, $27.50
$50.00 Broadcloth Coats $32.50
$60.00 Velour Coats $35.00
$85.00 Cloth Coats with fur collar, $55.00
$100.00 Cloth Coats with Lynx collar $65.00
$135.00 Moire Silk Coats with fur collars, $80.00

French Flannel and Matelasse Robes

$7.50 Robes, now $4.50
$9.75 Robes, now $5.00
$15.00 Robes, now $9.50
$27.50 Robes, now $15.00
$35.00 Robes, now $20.00
$65.00 Robes, now $30.00
$55.00 Robes, now $35.00

Lingerie Waists

Sizes 42 and 44

On account of being soiled and mussed these Waists will be closed out at the following prices:

$1.00 $1.50 $1.95

Were $1.85 $2.00 $2.95

Misses' Party Dresses

Silk and lace in pink, light blue, corn, white and Copenhagen.

$35.00 Dresses, now $22.50
$47.50 Dresses, now $30.00
$57.50 Dresses, now $35.00

Separate Walking Skirts

Black voile, cream serge and Panama, Broadcloth and checked and striped suitings are the materials used in these skirts.

$12.50 to $16.50 values $7.50
$32.50 to $35.00 values $18.50
$45.00 values $20.00

Misses' Wool Dresses

$12.50 Dresses, now $5.00
$30.00 Dresses, now $12.50
$22.50 Dresses, now $15.00
$25.00 Dresses, now $16.50
$37.50 Dresses, now $17.50
$35.00 Dresses, now $20.00

Messaline, Taffeta and Net Waists

Broken sizes

$8.50 Waists, for $3.50
$14.00 Waists for $5.00
$37.50 Waists, for $10.00

FOOD PRICE CUT AS GRAND JURY OPENS SESSIONS

Meat, Butter and Egg Market Quotations Show a Decided Reduction.

INQUIRY TO BE SLOW

Judge Landis Accuses Sims of Using Newspapers to Prejudice Public.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—A Federal grand jury, duly organized and solemnly charged, is now, for the third time in six years, attempting to unmask the methods and punish the offenses of the men who corner food. The packers are facing the inquisition with something akin to panic. For three days they have been letting down prices. The effect already is felt in the retail trade.

Judge Landis' charge was marked by an outburst in which he inferentially charged District Attorney Sims with attempting to prejudice the grand jury by using the newspapers and influence of "Government functionaries" against the packers.

Several subpenas were served yesterday, but were made not returnable until Thursday. In order to familiarize the jury with its duties and legal procedure, routine matters of an unimportant character will be handled for two days. Secret service men have all important witnesses under surveillance and have subpenas ready to serve if any should make an effort to leave the city.

Inquiry to Last Two Months.

No haste will be observed in this inquiry. The Government, said one of its attaches today, will proceed quietly and slowly, weighing well each move. The grand jury is not expected to return indictments before six weeks or two months, so thorough will be the investigation.

The men the Government wants to punish are J. Ogden Armour, Louis F. Swift, Edward F. Swift, Edward Morris and Edward Tilden. The latter is president of the National Packing Co. The action is brought under the Sherman anti-trust law.

Coincident with the organization of the Federal Grand Jury to probe the beef trust food supplies of all kinds hit the toboggan all over the West. The market on the Board of Trade for the packers' provisions made the longest slump in years. Cash pork fell $1 a barrel and the May option 75 cents. This is a break of $2 a barrel in three days. Cash pork closed at $20 a barrel. Short ribs and lard followed in the wake of pork.

Retail butchers have reduced prices of fresh meats, pork two cents a pound and beef from one to two cents a pound. Wheat took a tumble at the same time, falling from $1.11 a bushel to $1.09. Corn went down a cent a bushel.

Testimony in State Meat Inquiry Will Begin This Week

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caused general comment as to the cause. It was admitted by the board members that the drop was due largely to the agitation and to the tendency in many localities to abstain temporarily from high-priced foodstuffs. Word had reached Elgin that some localities had entered into a butter boycott. Before the board met it was generally believed a drop would be necessary. When the quotation committee reported the 30-cent price, it was greeted with applause.

In New York milk, eggs and butter led the procession of receding prices in food products Tuesday. Nation-wide agitation, aided by potent local influences, have brought about the drop. Meat, too, is on the decline following a greatly reduced consumption.

Quotations Cut in New York.

Milk is down a cent a quart already on at least two big dealers' routes; butter in the best qualities has been cut 5 cents a pound, and eggs are off 5 cents a dozen in New York markets. Storage eggs that have been selling as "strictly fresh" at high prices are no longer put out as such, the New York wholesalers say.

In Cleveland there was a further drop in the wholesale flesh market Tuesday. Hogs were 20 and 25 cents lower and cattle dropped 10 and 15 cents. Sirloin steaks were sold by retailers at 15 cents a pound and round steaks at 13 cents—a price lower than any quoted there in a year.

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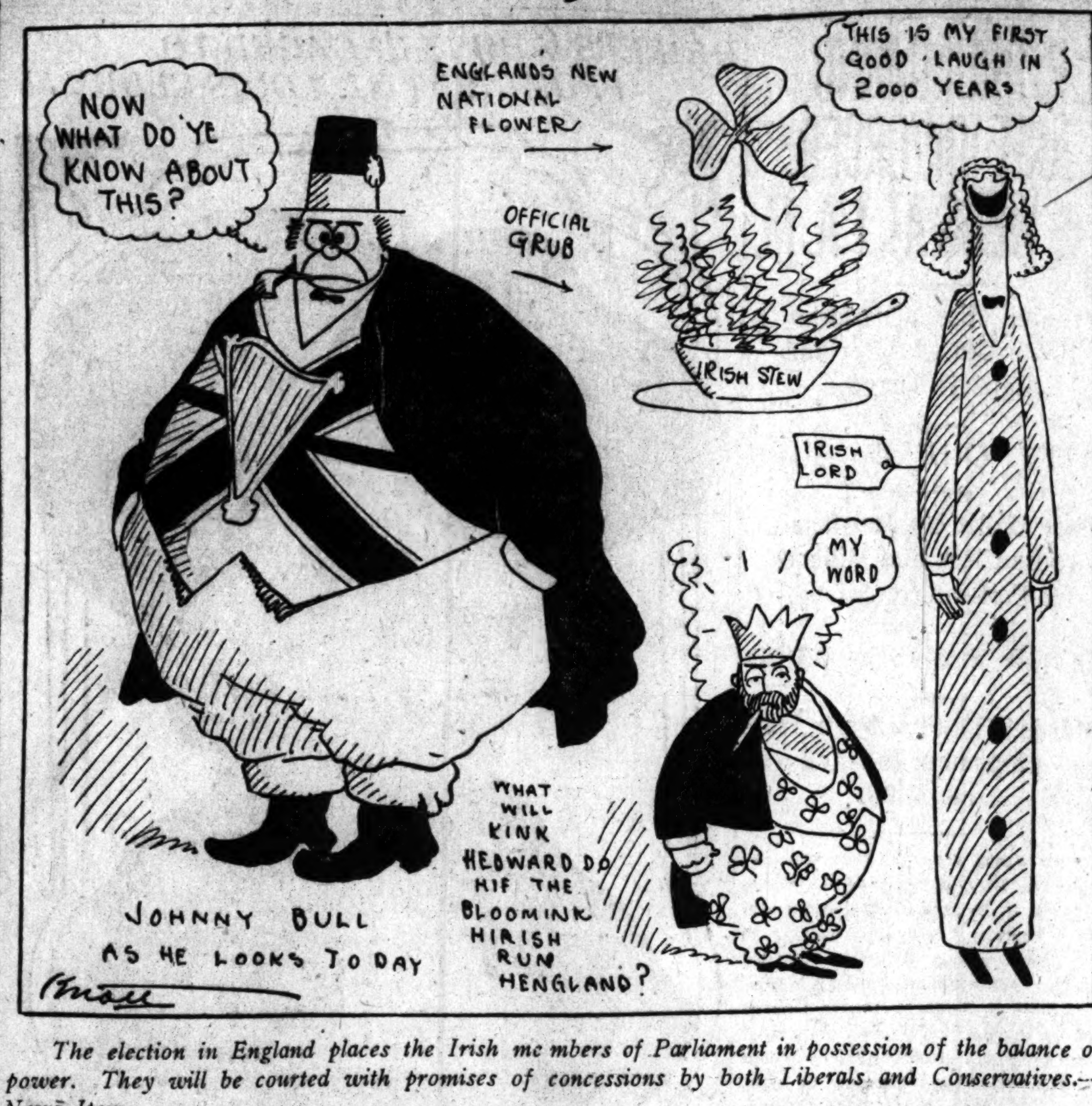


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Have you stiff or swollen joints, no matter how chronic? Ask your druggist for Munyon's Rheumatism Remedy and see how quickly you will be cured.

If you have any kidney or bladder trouble get Munyon's Kidney Remedy.

Election Leaves J. Bull at Mercy of Shillalah



The election in England places the Irish members of Parliament in possession of the balance of power. They will be courted with promises of concessions by both Liberals and Conservatives.—News Item.

O, JOHN BULL wears the shamrock now,
And wields an oak shillalah;
He chokes on fiery usquebaugh
In lieu of port and ale-ah.

HE hums "The Wearing of the Green,"
And sings "The Harp of Tira;"
He names his children O and Mac,
And Sarsfield and O'Meara.

"BEGOBS," says John, "an' it's mesilf
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'Tis darlint sport to trot a bog,
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Asquith's declaration for home rule is that the Liberal party in the next session of Parliament will be free to support a measure "for self-government for Ireland purely on Irish affairs and subject to the maintenance unimpaired of the supremacy of the Imperial Parliament." Everything depends upon the manner in which the Asquith declaration is to be interpreted. That the Irish members with the balance of power in their hands will wish to have considerable influence on the interpretation, goes without saying.

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Paso ointment is guaranteed to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Nation-Wide Move Against Bad Plays Is Plan of Women

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to disapprove certain plays has not been discussed in the Wednesday Club," she said. "We have several plans under consideration in the section of the club of which I am chairman.

"We believe that something should be done to protect the young people of the country. Every mother, aunt, daughter and sister considers that the time is right for some sort of action, but just what this action should be we have not definitely decided."

ROYAL COMMISSION ADVISES ABOLITION OF STAGE CENSOR

The creation of a stage censor in St. Louis would be a backward step, according to Israel Zangwill, author, playwright and member of the Royal Commission on censorship in England. Zangwill expressed his views in a letter to Clifford Greve of 4323 Washington boulevard, who recently took a decided stand against censorship in St. Louis.

The author says in his letter that the Royal Commission has practically reported in favor of the abolition of the stage censor in Great Britain. Zangwill is the author of many books and plays, among them "Merely Mary Ann," recently played by Eleanor Robson.

Zangwill favors a police censorship only. He says the stage censor in England has been found to hamper the serious moralist and to protect the pornographer.

At a recent meeting of ministers and others favoring censorship in St. Louis, Greve took the ground that it would amount to an abridgment of the liberties of the people. He wrote a letter to Zangwill, asking him for his opinion on the subject. As a member of the Royal Commission the Ghetto author has studied seriously all phases of the question.

For the reason that Zangwill is familiar with the workings of the censors in England, where the system has long prevailed, Greve attaches special importance to his letter.

K. of P.'s Hold Campfire.

The annual inspection of Hope Company, U. R. K. of P., took place at the armory, Thirteenth street and Chouteau avenue, Monday evening. A number of sir knights from St. Louis Company, No. 55, were present. After inspection a camp fire was held, at which roast pig and beans were served.

CURE YOUR RHEUMATISM AT HOME.

A Remedy Which Assists Nature Produces a Cure Which Is Permanent as This Case Proves.

Every sufferer from rheumatism wants to be cured and to stay cured.

The prospect of the return of the same old rheumatism every year is not attractive to anybody who has gone through one siege. Most treatments aim simply to "keep down" the rheumatic poisons in the blood. The tonic treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills has proved by hundreds of cures that it builds up the blood to a point that enables it to cast out these poisons through the regular channels of excretion, the bowels, kidneys and the skin. When this is done the rheumatism is permanently cured and as long as the blood is kept pure and rich the patient will be immune from attacks of rheumatism.

Mr. John H. Burns, a contractor, of Harper, Kansas, says:

"A few years ago I had a severe attack of rheumatism, which was caused by exposure to dampness and cold. There were sharp, shooting pains through both of my legs. The pains would change to my shoulders and the small of my back. I was lame and sore in some part of my body all of the time. The pains were agonizing and became so much worse that I was finally confined to my bed for three months. I was perfectly helpless and not able to turn over without assistance. I could not walk a step.

"I was treated by doctors at Hudson, South Dakota, and used different remedies and liniments but without much relief. I had been sick about three years when a friend gave me a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to try. He insisted that I quit all other medicine and take the pills. I did as he advised and before I had taken many boxes I was able to get around. I continued using the pills until I was completely cured. My wife has also taken Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for rheumatism with great benefit. We cannot praise them too highly."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be mailed, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

UNIONISTS AGAIN RECORD GAINS IN ENGLISH ELECTION

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Twenty-five results announced today complete the returns from yesterday's balloting for members of Parliament. Of the seats decided, the Unionists take 16, the Liberals 5, the Nationalists 3 and the Laborites 1. The standing of the parties as known this afternoon is:

Government coalition—Liberals 207, Irish Nationalists 72, Laborites 35.

Opposition—Unionists 237.

The Unionists have a monopoly of today's gains, placing to their credit eight out of the 25 returns of yesterday.

Austen Chamberlain for Worcestershire East and Sir A. F. Acland-Hood for the West Division of Somersetshire, the chief Unionist whip, are among the more prominent tariff reformers whose elections were announced today. The former increased his majority by 1300, while Acland-Hood returns to Parliament by a majority larger by 1000 than his previous figure.

Sir Charles D. Rose, a former partner of the American bank of Morton & Rose and a prominent sportsman, was defeated in the Newmarket Division of Cambridgeshire by the Unionist candidate, G. H. Verrall.

F. H. Newnes, the newspaper proprietor and director of the Westminster Gazette, was defeated in the Basset law division of Nottinghamshire by Barrister Hume Williams, a Unionist.

The Unionists also succeeded in making inroads on the Nationalists by capturing Mid-Tyrone, where a Healyite and a Redmondite divided the Nationalist vote.

[illegible] is in 40 constituencies, including those of Premier Asquith in Fife, East, and War Secretary [illegible] in Haddingtonshire.

Howe Declares Newton Lost Job by a Double Cross

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said he would see me sometime the following week. He failed to come around, however, and the matter was dropped.

"These are facts and I merely recite them to show that my own position has been consistent from the beginning. Why Senator Warner changed I do not know. That was his privilege, I suppose."

Howe says he spent one hour and a half with President Taft during his recent trip to Washington, and that in the course of the conversation he took occasion to commend in a personal way Harry B. Hawes, Houts' law partner. It had been presumed that part of the opposition to Houts was based on Hawes' conspicuous Democratic connections.

"I said to the President," continued Howe, "that while Hawes and I disagreed politically, there was nothing I could or would say against him as a man.

"'Hawes,' I added, 'is as nice a gentleman as I ever met.'

"The President appeared surprised at this complimentary reference, but made no comment."

Entertained in Washington.

Postmaster-General Hitchcock, Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh, Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel and Senator Warner were among those who entertained the former Republican chairman during his stay in Washington.

"I did not go to Washington of my own volition," explained Howe. "I was sent for, by whom I do not wish to say, and spent Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday of last week at the capital.

"Now that I'm back, I want to devote all my time to my law business, which has been getting behind.

"Is it true that you and Otto Stifel have come to the parting of the ways?"

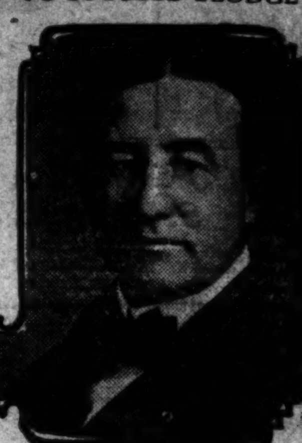
"While there may exist some differences, we are not enemies," he answered.

"There isn't a more genial man than Otto Stifel and I don't think that he is going to permit a little matter to come between us.

"My only connection with the Republican party now is that of a private in the ranks. Some of my friends have urged me for chairman of the State Committee, but I want no further political honors. Nor do I think it is fair to criticise me in a political way when I am engaged in a law case. I am asking no favors and simply want a square deal."

Newton's telegram withdrawing from the race for District Attorney, which was sent from Clinton, Mo., where he is campaigning in the Sixth District, stated that his action was prompted by a desire to avoid official embarrassment, as he understood Senator Warner would oppose confirmation in the Senate if he was nominated by President Taft.

MAN NAMED BY TAFT TO SUCCEED BLODGETT



CHARLES A. HOUTS.

ALTEN S. MILLER [illegible] TO BE PRESIDENT OF UNION ELECTRIC

Alten S. Miller, vice-president and general manager of the Union Electric Light and Power Co., will be chosen president of that corporation at the forthcoming meeting of the company's directors.

The stockholders election was held Tuesday. Festus J. Wade was elected a director, replacing Richard McCulloch, vice-president of the United Railways Co.

James Campbell, who was elected a director recently, succeeding Charles W. Wetmore, confirmed the information that Miller is to head the company, when seen by a Post-Dispatch reporter Tuesday.

He laughed merrily when asked if John I. Beggs would continue to manage the Milwaukee properties of the North American Co.

"I know of no contemplated changes up there," said Mr. Campbell.

Campbell has just purchased 55 acres at Greenwich, Conn., where his young daughter is completing her studies at the Ely finishing school.

Two Great Essentials.
Good Quality and Cheapness—Both are combined in

ELECTRO-SILICON

the renowned Silver Polish. Unequalled for Cleaning and Polishing SILVERWARE, other fine metals and cut glass. By its use much time, labor and expense are saved. Absolutely harmless. In household use over 40 years. Refuse substitutes.



FREE SAMPLE mailed on receipt of address.

The Electro Silicon Co., 30 Cliff St., New York. Sold by Grocers and Druggists Everywhere.

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney
Tenth, Olive and Locust Streets.
The Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price.

The Great "Dent's Sale" at Vandervoort's Kid Gloves for Men, Women and Children

Annually about this time we receive these sample Kid Gloves from London, England, and "Dent's Sale" has become an institution in St. Louis. For many weeks women, and men, too, have been asking about it.

Tomorrow, Wednesday, it begins.

As usual, there are men's, women's and a fair sprinkling of children's gloves in this great sample assortment.

Entering at our Tenth street door, you will find the regular Glove counters filled to overflowing with these Gloves—women's, children's and men's—but for the greater convenience of our men friends, a complete assortment will be found at our Men's Furnishing Section.

Women's and Children's Kid Gloves—valued from $1.50 to $2.00 a pair. Sale price 80c

Men's Kid Gloves—Tan, gray, black and white in a full range of sizes. $2.00 and $2.50 values, the pair $1.15

Also a limited quantity of Men's Fleece and Fur-lined Gloves—samples—at less than half price.

Looking over these wonderfully well-made, high-class, fashionable Gloves we do not wonder that men and women alike wait for this sale and buy an ordinary year's supply.

Men's Half-Hose

Fine Imported 50c Values---the Pair 25c

A great special sale begins Wednesday morning, and not in six months have the men of St. Louis had as good an opportunity to buy fine socks.

The assortment contains plain and fancy lisle, also silk lisles, in plain colors; fashionable, fancy embroidered and vertical-stripe novelties are also included.

Every pair is full regular made and not a pair is worth less than 50c.

Wednesday—More of the White Sale Undermuslins

Come and get a few more garments before the end of the sale. One good feature is, that this week you may still be able to get one or two more of some particular pattern seen earlier in the sale, and which will not be duplicated again this season.

There is still good selection of the medium-grade underclothes for those who want them.

Corset Covers

48c—Dozens of splendid styles; all effectively trimmed with lace or embroidery and ribbon drawn.

White Petticoats

98c—Cambric-top Petticoats with tucked and embroidery-trimmed ruffle.

$2.48—Fine Petticoats of cambric, inserted and trimmed with deep ruffle of open embroidery.

Chemises

98c—Chemises of nainsook, with embroidery ruffle on skirt.

Combinations

98c—Fine nainsook combinations of Corset Cover and Drawers, either embroidery or lace trimmed.

$1.98—Beautiful combinations of nainsook, with Swiss medallions and lace or alternating rows of Val. lace and dotted Swiss.

Nightgowns

79c—Muslin, nainsook and cambric gowns, daintily trimmed with lace or embroidery.

98c—Many excellent styles of slipover, high and V-neck Gowns, effectively trimmed with lace or embroidery.

Drawers

25c—Cambric Drawers, tucked and trimmed with hemstitched ruffle.

48c—Fifteen styles of Drawers, including the Princess; lace or embroidery trimmed.

Silk Petticoats At $3.95 Each

An excellently made Petticoat of excellent quality silk, in all the popular shades, as well as the much-desired white and black.

Each petticoat is made with tucked ripple flounce.

Those Sample Trimmings and Laces

will in all likelihood receive their last round-up on Wednesday.

The decorative possibilities wrapped up in almost every piece are wonderful.

Dress, Waist, Coat and Hat trimmings, all may be provided for. Then, too, pillows, dresser scarfs, etc. can be included in the list.

Half a yard to two yards are in each sample, and the prices run from 10c to $3.00 a piece—worth three to four times as much.

Sheets and Pillowcases at January White Sale Prices

It has been a wonderful, record-breaking time with all white stuffs, and especially household cottons.

This week is positively your last chance to benefit by the White Sale prices.

S-V-B No. 950 Quality Pillowcases

42x36	size, 20c value	15c
45x36	size, 22c value	16c
45x38½	size, 24c value	18c

S-V-B No. 950 Quality Ready-made Sheets

63x90	size, 75c value	55c
63x99	size, 83c value	65c
72x90	size, 83c value	65c
72x99	size, 95c value	75c
81x90	size, 95c value	75c
81x99	size, $1.03 value	80c
81x103½	size, $1.08 value	85c
81x108	size, $1.15 value	90c
90x99	size, $1.15 value	90c
90x103½	size, $1.20 value	95c
90x108	size, $1.25 value	$1.00

Pillowcases

Cambric-finish Pillowcases, sizes 42x36 and 45x36. Price 12c

Sheets

81x90 Sheets of heavy cotton with patent seam through center. Price 53c

Longcloth

Fine 12½c quality Longcloth, 36 inches wide. Sale Price, the yard 9c

The Home Journal Spring Quarterly

Is undoubtedly the best fashion journal published for the home.

It is national in its popularity, and even the professional dressmaker finds its suggestions of great practical value.

20c a copy is its price, but with each copy we give one pattern—any 15c pattern—free. Thus the book costs but 5c.

The Ladies' Home Journal is also on sale at this department. Get the Valentine Number now. Price 15c.

The Yearly Clean-up Among the Coats, Dresses and Waists Will Resume on Wednesday

This event has to do with the clearance of Misses' Garments as well as Women's, and the savings, in very many instances, amount to over half.

Without any exception the garments are the best of last season's styles, and the thriftily inclined may provide for the balance of this Winter and have excellent garments of proper style to start another.

$22.50 Broadcloth Dresses, $12.50
$30.00 Braided Dresses, $18.75
$35.00 One-piece Dresses of Broadcloth, $20.00
$42.50 Messaline Dresses, $25.00
$47.50 Widewale Serge Dresses, $30.00
$75.00 Cloth Dresses, handsomely trimmed, $40.00
$75.00 Crepe Meteor Dresses, $45.00
$22.50 Inverness Coats of plain and Widewale Serge, $14.00
$32.50 Auto Coats of Imported Materials, $17.75
$42.50 Broadcloth Coats, black and colored, $27.50
$50.00 Broadcloth Coats $32.50
$60.00 Velour Coats $35.00
$85.00 Cloth Coats with fur collar, $55.00
$100.00 Cloth Coats with Lynx collar $65.00
$135.00 Moire Silk Coats with fur collars, $80.00

French Flannel and Matelasse Robes

$7.50 Robes, now	$4.50
$9.75 Robes, now	$5.00
$15.00 Robes, now	$9.50
$27.50 Robes, now	$15.00
$35.00 Robes, now	$20.00
$65.00 Robes, now	$30.00
$55.00 Robes, now	$35.00

Lingerie Waists

Sizes 42 and 44

On account of being soiled and mussed these Waists will be closed out at the following prices:

	$1.00	$1.50	$1.95
Were	$1.85	$2.00	$2.95

Misses' Party Dresses

Silk and lace in pink, light blue, corn, white and Copenhagen.

$35.00 Dresses, now	$22.50
$47.50 Dresses, now	$30.00
$57.50 Dresses, now	$35.00

Separate Walking Skirts

Black voile, cream serge and Panama, Broadcloth and checked and striped suitings are the materials used in these skirts.

$12.50 to $16.50 values	$7.50
$32.50 to $35.00 values	$18.50
$45.00 values	$20.00

Misses' Wool Dresses

	$5.00
$12.50 Dresses, now	$12.50
$20.00 Dresses, now	$15.00
$22.50 Dresses, now	$16.50
$25.00 Dresses, now	$17.50
$27.50 Dresses, now	$20.00
$35.00 Dresses, now	

Messaline, Taffeta and Net Waists

Broken sizes

$8.00 Waists, for	$3.50
$14.00 Waists, for	$5.00
$27.50 Waists, for	$10.00

COMMISSION TO STUDY EXPRESS CHARGE ON TOUR

State Board Starts Inspection Trip in Investigation of Arbitrary.

HEARING AT SOUTHERN

Broadway Merchants and Others Invited to Question Company Officials.

MERCHANT TELLS OF EXPRESS FIRM'S 300 PER CENT DIVIDEND

DURING the hearing on the express arbitrary, the following interesting colloquy occurred between Attorney James L. Minnis, representing the express companies, and A. E. Glauber, representing the North St. Louis Business Men's Association, which is asking for an extension of the free delivery zone:

"As a business man, Mr. Glauber," said Attorney Minnis," "would you consider it a good business proposition for the express companies to make free deliveries in your section of the city if they lost money by it?"

"I don't know anything about your business proposition," replied Glauber, reaching into his pocket and taking out a bundle of papers, "but I have here a newspaper clipping showing Wells Fargo & Co. paid its stockholders a Christmas dividend of 300 per cent. Free delivery in our part of the city might cause reduction in that dividend and I suppose the express company would not consider that a good business proposition."

The Missouri Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners began an inspection of the South Broadway business districts Tuesday in connection with their investigation of the express arbitrary.

The South St. Louis merchants, business men and manufacturers demand an extension of the express free delivery zone from 3800 South Broadway to 8000 South Broadway. The commissioners are looking over this business district to get an idea of whether there is sufficient business to justify them in making an order extending the free zone. After touring the south end of the city in an automobile the commissioners will drive along the streets which form the dividing line between the free and arbitrary territory in South St. Louis.

The commissioners, in their tour of South St. Louis, made their first stop at the store of A. E. Hoffman, at Broadway and Chippewa street. At the store of Mueller & Schumann they verified the information given Monday by Hoffman that this store gets its packages delivered by the St. Louis Express Co. for 15 cents, while Hoffman and other merchants pay 25 cents. Packages are delivered at this rate by agreement, Mueller & Schumann said.

The commissioners went south on Broadway to the city limits. In Carondelet they found the Pacific Express Co. maintains a receiving station, but no delivery station. The Pacific Co. receives packages for its own lines at a cost to the shipper of 10 or 12 cents, in addition to the regular rate, but charges 40 cents if the packages are to go to their destination by any other line.

The commissioners returned on Virginia avenue, making several stops, and then went east to Broadway over Chippewa street. Edward Heintze of 2902 Chippewa street told the commissioners that the Adams Express Co. delivered bottles of water to him from Polkaville, Ill., and sometimes charged 80 cents and other times 75 cents for the same size bottles and made a return charge of 15 cents. He said he protested against the return charge, but the only satisfaction he got was a threat to return the goods.

After the inspection, Commissioner Knott expressed the opinion that the free delivery zone should be extended to at least 4700 South Broadway, 12 blocks south of the present limits.

A similar tour of inspection will be made in North St. Louis Wednesday morning. Business men in that section of the city are asking for an extension of the free limits from 3800 North Broadway to 5400.

Representatives of the express companies were on hand at 2 p. m. at the Southern Hotel. Chairman Wightman of the commission extended an invitation to the representatives of the business organizations interested in having the free delivery zone extended to be present and interrogate the witnesses for the express company. He said the commission desired to learn the facts so it could be fair in its ruling.

Knott in Tilt With Attorney.

There was a lively tilt between Commissioner John A. Knott and Attorney James L. Minnis, representing the express companies, at the hearing Monday afternoon. Referring to a statement of Commissioner Knott, relative to double express charges, Mr. Minnis said he always regretted to appear before the board, because he thought it was prejudiced.

Commissioner Knott retorted hotly that he did not want to hear any more talk of that kind from Minnis.

"That statement was in regard to the double express charges," said Commissioner Knott, "and was not particularly related to the express arbitrary under investigation. If the express companies have been making double charges, as complained of, they ought to be exposed."

Midwinter Clearance Sale.

Don't miss this chance to get a diamond ring, shell cameo pin or brooch at greatly reduced prices. Pay as convenient. Loftis Bros. & Co., 3d floor, 916 N. Sixth st.

Room rug clearing

A FINAL clearing of high-grade Axminster and velvet rugs; rich Oriental and floral styles in Bigelow, Sanford and Smith's best rugs; all are full 9x12 ft.; only one of each style and only 84 rugs in all; they were $25.00, $27.50 and $30.00; Wednesday clearing sale, each..... $18.00

Nugents

Bell Telephone: Olive 3900. Kinloch Telephone: Central 3300.

Clearing of portieres

A FINAL clearing of all our bordered and fringed portieres; heavy tapestry portieres with tapestry borders, and rich armure portieres with long tassel fringe at top and bottom; all desirable colors; these were $5.00, $6.00 and $7.50; Wednesday's clearing price..... $3.95



Ostermoor Mattresses

WE are sole agents for St. Louis and vicinity for Ostermoor mattresses. They won't pack, being built, not stuffed.

Fancy linens

FANCY linens cleared out at less than half price; this lot contains centerpieces, pillow shams, lunch cloths and scarfs of all sizes, in hand-made Battenberg lace, hand-drawn work, cluny lace and Irish or Madeira hand embroidery; the greatest bargains we have ever offered; values run up to $3.50; clear them away at..... 98c

$1.49 linoleums, 75c

A REMARKABLE clearing of best quality inlaid linoleums; colors through to the back and will not wear off; splendid assortment of tile patterns for dining rooms, kitchens or bathrooms; all absolutely perfect; were all $1.49; Wednesday's clearing price, square yard..... 75c

HEAVIEST printed and enameled linoleums; very durable, and a large selection of designs; were 50 and 60 cents; all perfect; square yard..... 39c

White opera gloves

Trefousse et Cie. Paris gloves—
Short lengths..... $1.50 to $2.25
Long lengths..... $2.50 to $4.50

White glace "elbow" lengths—a special lot of real kid, in sizes 5¾ to 7½, at..... $2.50

White glace 2-clasp kid; a special lot at..... 85c

Extra special—Wednesday we will sell 50 dozen of our regular "half dollar" chamoisette gloves at..... 38c

Men's shirts

ABOUT 300 men's soiled shirts of madras or percale, in pleated and negligee, attached or detached cuffs; neat designs and colorings; these shirts are slightly soiled or mussed from handling but are otherwise perfect; values up to $2.00; Wednesday..... 65c

Aprons

LADIES, maids and misses' aprons, finished with dainty tucks and embroidery; 75-cent to $1.00 aprons; Wednesday..... 50c

Second floor.

Tuxedos

BOYS' odd Tuxedo coats; broken from suits that sold at $10, $12 and $15; while the lot lasts, your choice Wednesday for..... $1.50

Third floor.

Greater bargains than ever in the women's ready-to-wear sections

Women's waists

Odds and ends of women's waists in three big groups at less than the cost of materials.

ONE lot of black and colored chiffon, braided; one lot of embroidered silk net, trimmed with folds of taffeta and jet; one lot of braided taffetas in navy and black; a miscellaneous lot of messalines; waists in this group worth and formerly selling up to $8.95; clearing sale price, each..... $2.50

IN this $1.50 collection we have one lot of nicely tailored taffetas in navy and black; one lot of net waists in gray, blue and wistaria, beautifully braided; one lot of black, tucked net tailored waists; in this group a total of just about one hundred waists, worth formerly up to $4.95..... $1.50

FINAL clean-up of flannelette waists; eighty-seven tailored flannelette waists, formerly sold at $1.50, now..... 59c

A large assortment of coats arranged in three lots

Lot No. 1 contains 36 coats, stylishly and splendidly made of good quality novelty worsted homespuns and a few in broadcloths, full-length models; lined throughout, others half-lined with good quality satin; coats that are worth up to $14.75; Wednesday clearing price..... $5.00

Just 29 coats in lot No. 2; these are made of fine broadcloth, novelty mixtures, serges and wide-wale chevrons; coats all in latest, most up-to-date styles, and lined throughout with good quality satin; coats that are worth up to $19.75; Wednesday clearing price..... $7.50

In lot No. 3 you will find the balance of our great coat stock, consisting of garments that are made of very fine serges, chiffon broadcloth, wide-wale chevrons and many novelty materials; coats that are worth up to $32.50; all priced Wednesday for..... $12.50

Clearing of tailored suits at very low prices

33 suits made of broadcloth, serges and novelty worsted, all cut in semi-fitted style, in lengths from 40 to 45, and skirts in full-kilted and pleated designs; suits ranging in price from $9.75 to $14.75; Wednesday priced..... $7.50

25 suits, stylishly made in semi-fitted 45-inch models; materials are very fine serges, broadcloths, chevrons and novelty worsteds, and lined with good quality satin; full-pleated skirts; suits ranging in price from $16.75 to $22.50; Wednesday priced at..... $9.50

95 stylish tailored suits made of broadcloth, serges, wide-wale chevrons and novelty suitings, in semi-fitted effects; coats 42 to 45 inches long and lined throughout with best quality satin; suits in this lot worth up to $32.50; Wednesday's price..... $12.50

Women's skirts

Greater bargains than ever.

$10.50 white serge skirts for..... $5.00
$10.75 taffeta silk skirts for..... $5.00
$11.50 French voile skirts for..... $5.00
$16.50 white voile skirts for..... $5.00
$7.75 cheviot skirts for..... $3.50
$5.95 panama skirts for..... $3.50
8.50 prunella cloth skirts for..... $3.50
$18.75 broadcloth skirts for..... $7.50
$15.95 fancy worsted skirts for..... $7.50
$23.95 broadcloth skirts for..... $7.50

Further reductions on underwear

MEN'S, women's and children's underwear stocks must be reduced before stock-taking. These are discontinued lines, broken lots, etc., at prices which will make the counter stocks melt on Wednesday.

Men's underwear

970 garments in this lot; men's shirts and drawers in merino, natural wove, camel's hair, fleece lined and cotton ribbed; medium and heavy weight; regular lines reduced to close out; values up to $1.00; Wednesday, a garment, for..... 35c

Children's underwear

Broken lines of children's underwear; odds and ends reduced to a very low price; in this lot are merino in natural wool, white, fleece lined and ecru cotton in shirts, pants and drawers; values up to 50 cents each; Wednesday..... 15c

Women's underwear

A special bargain for Wednesday; women's vests and pants, in silver gray and ecru color, in wool plaited and fleece lined, medium weight; we do not expect to have a garment left by Wednesday night; values up to 65 cents; Wednesday..... 29c

Hosiery prices cut still deeper

IT is impossible to overestimate the significance of this sale to those who would save money. The bargains in our hosiery department present opportunities without precedent to the economically inclined.

Women's hose

This is the grand wind-up of the most successful clearing sale we ever held. In this lot is almost every kind of hosiery in cotton and lisle thread, plain black, split sole, colors of all kinds and fancy novelties; reduced on Wednesday to..... 10c

Men's hose

9000 pairs in the lot, consisting of cotton, lisle thread, silk lisle, wool, merino and fleece; plain black, plain colors of every shade; embroidered hose of every description; hundreds of styles to select from; values up to 50 cents; Wednesday..... 15c

Children's hose

Every broken line and discontinued number of our 25 and 35 cent grades in plain black ribbed cotton stockings for girls and boys; light, medium and heavy weights; double knees, heels and toes; Wednesday, a pair for..... 15c

Lace clearing

NOT many more days left before inventory, but we have quite a few small lots of laces still on hand which must be closed at once; we have marked them at very interesting prices, so don't fail to take advantage of these bargains, as they will not last long.

10 and 15 cent Venice laces...
15-cent black laces.....
15-cent Venice insertions....
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$5, $6 and $7.50 Kenyon "Hangwell" Trousers, $3

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GREATER clearing sale reductions than ever on these petticoats to clean them out before stock-taking.

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50,000 SOLDIERS FIGHT THE RISING FLOOD IN PARIS

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Jan. 25.—Fifty thousand soldiers comprising the garrison of Paris were placed at the disposition of the municipal authorities this morning to fight the flood that is spreading ruin and consternation throughout the city.

Only two sections of the subway are in operation, while three-fourths of the surface lines are tied up. Factories are shutting down because of the lack of power due to the electric plants having been flooded. Half of the telephones in the city are out of commission and telegraph and railroad communication is demoralized.

The scene on the river front is majestic but appalling. The stream has broken its barriers at several points and is pouring its yellow torrents into the surrounding streets, converting them into veritable lakes. At any minute it may be necessary to blow up the Alma bridge, where the water is but a few inches from the keystone of the arch, as a dam there might turn the course of the Seine in such a way as to flood several of the most fashionable sections of the city.

The weather grows worse instead of better and at noon Paris was the center of an area of a low pressure and bitter cold. Rain and sleet were falling throughout the flooded region, adding to the suffering of the poor and homeless. The price of bread and other food has increased owing to the fact that communication with the provinces is crippled. No trains from the south are coming beyond Choisy-Le-Roi.

Jury Chosen to Try Libel Case Growing Out of the Panama Canal Property Purchase

Action Was Asked for by Ex-President Roosevelt While Nation's Executive.

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maintain its right to invoke the statutory law against libel in this State without regard for the constitutional provisions relating to the same, taking over, in other words, such of the statutory law as it may elect to use in an effort to prove its case.

The prosecution of the case was undertaken by Mr. Wise and Assistant-General Stuart McNamara, who supported the demand of the Government for the extradition of Delavan Smith, which was denied by Judge Anderson. The Press Publishing Co. was represented by Delancy Nicoll and John D. Lindsay. Counsel for both sides were assisted by other attorneys.

No Time Is Lost.

Judge Hough lost no time in proceeding to the selection of a jury. In directing the calling of the names of 12 men to take seats in the jury box he opened the way for Mr. Nicoll to outline the essential points of the action brought by the Government against The World.

The first talesman examined was William H. Taylor. When Mr. Nicoll began to question him, Judge Hough, addressing the men filling the benches in the rear of the court, said: "I wish the other jurors in court would listen to these questions so as to avoid unnecessary repetition as far as possible."

In presenting the interesting and pertinent points established by the questions asked talesmen by Mr. Nicoll and Mr. Wise, and during frequent colloquoy between Judge Hough and counsel, the following is from the transcript furnished by the official stenographer of the Government. In addressing Mr. Taylor, Mr. Nicoll said:

"This is a criminal proceeding for an indictment found in this court, and entitled United States of America against Press Publishing Co. The Press Publishing Co. is a corporation and publishes the newspaper known as the New York World. This indictment has 13 counts—that is, it charges the corporation, the defendant, with having committed 13 different offenses; the offense charged in each one of the several counts is the offense of libel—that is, it is a prosecution of the Press Publishing Co., a corporation, which I have described. Now, generally speaking, the charge is that in the month of October, 1908, the Press Publishing Co. made certain charges with respect to the purchase by the United States Government from the French company which owned it, of the Panama Canal, for $40,000,000; and while I don't think any of these matters are libels at all, yet the Government says that by reason of our publication of said individuals' names in the indictment they were libels. Have you ever heard of this case before? A. I think I have read only the headlines in the papers; I didn't go into particulars.

First Case of Kind.

Mr. Nicoll brought Mr. Wise to his feet with an objection to a question he asked Mr. Taylor. It was if Mr. Taylor thought it his duty to accept the interpretation of the law from the Court in a libel case. Mr. Nicholl, replying, said: "This is the first case since the Government was organized where a libel suit has been tried as a criminal indictment."

"But that doesn't change the law," commented Judge Hough.

By Mr. Nicoll: Now the Government charges in this indictment, Mr. Taylor, that these publications about the Panama Canal, which were printed in the presidential campaign of 1908, made improper charges against the President of the United States and other gentlemen at that time holding important offices in Washington; did you know any of these gentlemen at that time, the President or Secretary of War, or any of the persons who are connected with this Panama Canal proceeding?

A. I only met them socially at a dinner or something of that kind (public dinner); I merely shook them by the hand, that is all.

Q. You understand, Mr. Taylor, all we want here, both sides, is to try to get a fair and impartial jury, unbiased, who have not any feelings or predilection one way or the other, and if you or any of the other gentlemen who sit in the box feel that you would be under any embarrassment in discharging your duty as a juryman in this case, on account of the public persons who are mentioned in connection with it, I hope you will say so when it comes my turn to question you; at all events, you don't feel that way, Mr. Taylor? A. No, sir.

Q. Now the prosecution charges here substantially, or tries to put that construction upon these articles that the defendant libeled the President, and the President's brother-in-law and the brother of the present President, and other persons. Would either social or political or business interests be affected in any way by a decision adverse to the Government in a suit of this sort? A. No, sir.

Q. Do you know Mr. William Nelson Cromwell? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you ever hear of him? A. I heard of him as a lawyer, that is all.

Explains Commission.

Q. Now it appears that in 1899 or 1900 the President appointed a commission known as the Isthmian Commission; these are the names of the gentlemen who composed it. I ask whether you know any of them. I ask you whether you know them, or knew them when they lived—Pascall, Morrison, Col. Oswald Ewarts, Louis M. Haupt, consulting engineer or civil engineer; Alfred Noble, civil engineer; Col. Peter C. Haynes, corps engineer, United States Army; Washington A. Burr, civil engineer; Prof. R. Johnson? A. I don't know them.

Q. Do you know Mr. Douglas Robinson, who is in the real estate business? A. Well, I think I met him in some transaction.

Q. You know the house of Douglas Robinson and Charles J. Brown? A. I know they are real estate men.

Judge Hough interrupted Mr. Nicoll to stop questions regarding the political beliefs of Mr. Taylor. "I do not want politics dragged into this trial," he said. Judge Hough indicated his belief that the trial would continue some time by asking Mr. Taylor about his physical condition. "You may be detained long hours," he said. Mr. Taylor replied that he was in good physical condition.

By Mr. Nicoll: The indictment here, Mr. Taylor, charges that these papers containing the matters complained of as libelous were circulated in a Government reservation known as West Point and in this postoffice, in this Federal Building, which belongs to the United States Government, and the Government undertakes to give this court jurisdiction over this charge of libel by claiming that the papers which were published in The World Building at Park Row, in the course of distribution found their way to the extent of some thirty copies at the Government reservation at West Point, and also were distributed in the postoffice in this Federal Building, and the Government theory is that in the course of that distribution at West Point and in the postoffice in this building the offense of libel was committed upon the territory of the United States, and that therefore this court has jurisdiction. I think I am justified in saying that the District Attorney will agree with me in saying that is a very novel proposition.

Slight Disagreement.

Mr. Wise: I do not agree with that proposition at all.

Mr. Nicoll: You don't? I say it is the first time in 85 years it has ever been attempted since the Storey act was passed and never before. This is the first time. You don't know anything about this matter, do you, Mr. Taylor. A. No.

Q. Did you ever hear of that feature I have mentioned before? A. No, sir.

Q. Would that fact have any effect upon you in the discharge of your duties as a juror? A. No, sir.

By Mr. Nicoll: Yes, in substance—I did not, perhaps, tell Mr. Taylor what the substance of this case is—the complainant, the Government, charges that these different articles—six different articles—amount to two false charges; the first one that there was a syndicate of Americans who were interested in and had received some of the $40,000,000 which the United States Government paid to the French company for its property in Panama; that is one of the charges; and the second charge complained of by the Government is that The World published that the administration at Washington and the individuals who then composed it engaged in a combination to promote a revolution in the State of Panama as the result of which the present State of Panama seceded from the State of Colombia, of which it was then a part. A. That The World charged that; I didn't know that.

By Mr. Nicoll: That is the substance, boiling it all down, of these two things.

Mr. Nelson, the second juror allowed to remain in the box, in replying to the questions asked all jurors, said he had no prejudice for or against the Government or newspaper, believed in the freedom of the press, did not know any persons directly connected with either side, was not influenced by politics and was not familiar with the operations of the Secret Service and special agents employed in investigating the case.

In the examination of Juror O'Keefe Mr. Nicoll asked the venireman if he understood a juror could judge the law as well as the facts in New York State and there was a long argument between Mr. Nicoll and the Court as to whether the jury could judge the law as well as the facts. The Court disagreed with Counsel, but allowed an exception.

In this connection a question arose as to whether the Government could undertake to "take the fundamental law of the State in administering the law of the State."

Mr. Nicoll: My proposition now is that if you undertake to administer the law of the State in the Federal Court—for after all, this is a penal case, it has never been done before, there is no precedent for it, there is no authority for it—Your Honor has to work it out for the first time, and if you are undertaking to apply the law of the State for the first time in 85 years, my proposition is that you should take over the constitutional law of the State as well as the State law, and therefore I request Your Honor to permit me to ask the jurors this question.

The Court: That I won't do.

Mr. Nicoll: Very well, Your Honor; I make an exception.

Richard Davis, before being excused, was asked if he knew Douglas Robinson.

A. No, I don't know Mr. Robinson, but to save your, time, Mr. Nicoll, I'm very much interested in this Panama question and have been engaged with Mr. Jaretski (of Mr. Cromwell's office) in the arrangement of these things in Panama.

Q. You know about the transaction, then, at the time? A. Yes.

Q. Were you interested at the time of the revolution? A. No, I have reference to the time the United States Government was about to conclude negotiations, and I had a special interest in the conclusion of the arrangement, and I formed an opinion at that time as to the part that Mr. Cromwell had taken in it.

Q. Well, if you can't serve as a juror, you will be perfectly willing to serve as a witness, won't you A. Yes.

George H. B. Mitchell answered satisfactorily all the questions put by both Mr. Nicoll and Mr. Wise and was accepted.

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It is improved with a new, handsome two-story building, comprising four stores on Taylor avenue and 12 apartments.

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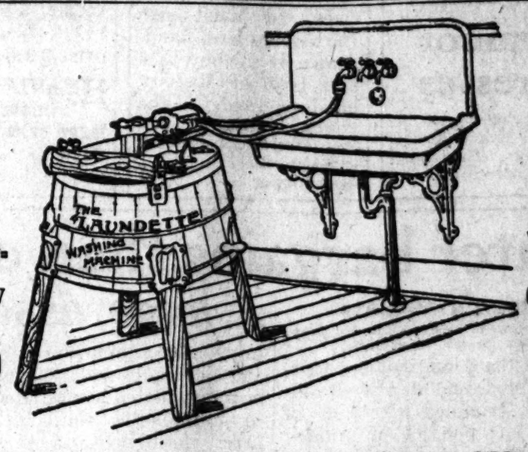
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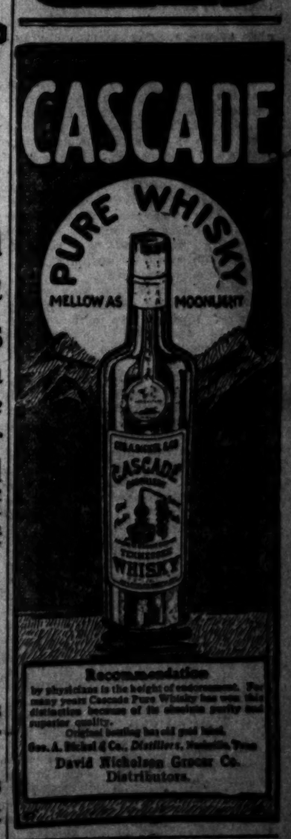
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TAFT PLANS FOR TRIAL OF TRUSTS BIG AND LITTLE

President, With Wickersham, Maps Out Campaign Against Combinations.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—President Taft and Attorney-General Wickersham are planning to prosecute all corporations, big and little, which the Department of Justice is convinced are doing and have been doing business in an illegal manner. It was announced today that the prosecution of the Beef Trust is but the forerunner of other prosecutions which are to follow.

The President is going to wait until the United States Supreme Court announces its decision in the Standard Oil and American Tobacco Trust cases before getting down to the actual work of planning the campaign of battle.

It is not believed that the United States Steel Corporation, which former President Roosevelt characterized as a "good trust," and whose dealings he openly countenanced, will escape. In fact, it is stated in authoritative circles that this is one of the first corporations which will be summoned to answer serious charges.

Gompers Supplies Evidence.

At present the Department of Justice has much evidence on hand dealing with the Steel Trust, furnished by Samnuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. And that officer has been requested to furnish the Department with further evidence, which he maintains he has in his possession. President Taft has seen much of the evidence already submitted, and it is stated, is convinced that there are just grounds upon which to bring legal action.

The statement is current in official circles that the President has made known to friends that he intends to carry out his promise to punish any and all corporations which violate or evade the law. They declare that for more than two months investigations by the Department of Justice have been in progress which have put into the hands of the Attorney-General the facts which show him that prosecutions against several corporations should be begun. There are also other investigations in progress which will show whether still other corporations are to be the target for the legal guns of Federal Government.

Neither President Taft, the Attorney-General nor the other legal members of the President's Cabinet doubt for a minute, but that the decisions of the United States Supreme Court in the Standard Oil and American Tobacco Trust cases will affirm the decisions of the lower courts. But the President and his advisers are not so sure about their being able to proceed against the corporations which show the sign of wilful and deliberate breaking of the law.

Wall Street Sets Up Cry.

All manner of complaints against this new policy of the President's have reached the White House. The common cry comes from New York, principally from Wall street. The President is firmly convinced that now is the time to change the condition and put the business of the country on a basis which would not be affected by a prosecution of a corporation or combination which was doing business in violation of the law.

Neither the President or any of his many legal friends believe the law is too drastic. Neither do they believe that there need be any material amendments to the law.

Prices Take a Tumble.

Wholesale prices for dressed beef—that is, the choicest cuts—are lower. Swift and company quoted No. 1 ribs today at 17½ cents, or one cent a pound lower, while No. 1 loins, which furnish the juicy porterhouse steak, were also quoted one cent lower, at 22 cents. On the other hand, some cheaper cuts were quoted from one-half cent to one cent per pound higher, showing a larger demand for the lower grades.

Cattle prices at the stockyards were lower, the decline ranging anywhere from 15 to 25 cents a hundredweight. The packers held aloof to ascertain what may be the outcome of the present agitation. The hog market was demoralized, with a fall of 70 cents a hundredweight.

The cold storage supplies in Chicago, especially of eggs, butter and fish, are immense. There are six enormous cold storage plants. The Booth Fish Trust controls the largest, and its building is almost filled with frozen fish, both salt water and fresh water, besides large supplies of oysters, lobsters and other sea foods. The other plants are largely devoted to the storage of butter, eggs, poultry and fruits.

The meat packers are the largest cold storage purveyors in the country. The supplies of beef, mutton and pork in their plants in the stockyards is a secret that no one has been able to penetrate.

Cold Storage Gives Control.

Very little beef is placed on the market until it has been in cold storage at least two weeks. Frequently it is kept in storage two months. They control the cold storage facilities all over the West and through this control they dominate the egg and poultry business.

They have large cold storage plants in St. Joseph, Omaha, Sioux City, Kansas City, St. Louis and East St. Louis. Into these, in seasons of plenty the food production of the West is combed at a low price and distributed to the public at a high price in seasons of comparative famine. The figures on the supplies of cured meats which are public property show that the stocks of pork and bacon were 33 per cent smaller than last year.

Weyl's Special Sale Wednesday, Jan. 26, Ice White Pound Currant Loaf, 11c.

25% Discount on All Kid Gloves for Women, Misses, Children

Get the Habit of Taking Your Luncheon in Our Beautiful Dining Room

STIX, BAER & FULLER D. G. CO. GRAND-LEADER

25% Discount on All Oriental Rugs Without any Reservation

A Gigantic Sale of Household Linens, Fancy Linens, White Goods and Wash Goods

A Mercantile Event that appeals forcibly to every woman in the city--varieties without an equal and values that will amaze you

$1.75 Hemstitched Table Cloths, $1.25
Fine All-Linen Table Cloths; size 8x10; all new patterns; these are exceptionally fine values.

$3.50 Pattern Cloths, $2.50 Each
Fine quality of bleached double damask; round patterns; size 2x2½ yds.

$3.00 Pattern Cloths, $2.75 Each
Warranted Tablecloths; every thread pure linen; made of fine double satin damask; size 2x2 yards.

$4.00 Pattern Cloths, $2.75 Each
Made of bleached Irish Double Damask; all new patterns; size 2x2 yards.

Dinner Napkins in Odd Dozens
Among this lot are some of the finest grades of Bleached Double Satin Damask Napkins; a variety of sizes to select from; some slightly soiled; otherwise perfect.
Bleached Double Satin Damask Napkins, $1.40 values, doz., **$1.00**
Bleached Double Satin Damask Napkins, $1.75 values, doz., **$1.25**
Bleached Double Satin Damask Napkins, $2.50 values, doz., **$1.50**
Bleached Double Satin Damask Napkins, $3.00 values, doz., **$2.00**
Bleached Double Satin Damask Napkins, $4.00 values, doz., **$2.75**
Bleached Double Satin Damask Napkins, $5.00 values, doz., **$3.50**

$1.50 Huck Towels, $1.00
Huck Towels, worth $1.50 per dozen; good heavy hemmed Huck Towels; neat red border; size 17x34 inches; special, **$1.00** per dozen.

$4.00 Huck Towels, $3.00
Irish Huck Towels, worth $4.00 per dozen; made of finest grade of bleached Irish Huck, hemmed; size 24x36 inches; **$3.00** per dozen.

$4.00 Dinner Napkins at $2.75 a Dozen
Of exceptionally fine double satin damask; size 22x22 inch; neat patterns; a direct saving of $1.25 on each dozen.

$6 Pattern Cloths, $4.50
Newest patterns for round tables, of heavy double damask; size 2x3 yards.

Table Padding
Quilted Table Padding; very finest grade of heatproof Table Padding; just the goods for highly polished tables.
54-in., $1.00 value, yd... **69c**
63-in., $1.20 value, yd... **85c**
72-in., $1.40 value, yd... **$1.00**

25c Damask Towels, 15c
25c Damask Towels, Hemstitched Damask Towels; size 21x40 inches; considered exceptionally good values at 25c each; priced for this sale, each, **15c.** *(Second Floor.)*

Soiled Cluny Cloths ⅓ Off
Just a small number of these hand-made Cluny Table Cloths. Linen center with cluny insertion and lace.

Hemstitched and Hand Emb'd Cloths and Spreads
A small lot of hemstitched and hand-embroidered Cloths and Spreads; worth up to $30; choice... **$12.50**

Table Cloths and Bed Spreads
Embroidered Table Cloths and Bed Spreads; many in this lot are slightly soiled, otherwise in two sizes—72x100 and 90x100 in.

$3 Hand Embroidered Tray Cloths, $1.35
Scalloped and hand-embroidered Tray Cloths; size 13x20 inches.

$2.25 Hand Embroidered Tray Cloths, $1.10
Scalloped and hand-embroidered; size 18x27 inches. *(Second Floor.)*

40c Linen Cambric, 25c Yd.
36 inches wide and warranted every thread all pure linen; used for underwear, waists, etc.

$1.00 White Dress Linen, 50c a Yard
Warranted every thread all pure linen; two yards wide; requires but five yards for complete suit; also used extensively for waists, dresses and children's wear.

30c White Dimity Plaids, 15c a Yard
While 50 pieces last we offer for the first time Standard Sun Bleached Plaid Dimities at **15c** a yard; always sold for 30c; for waists, dresses, children's dresses, etc.

60c Paris Muslin, 39c
For Graduating and Confirmation Dresses; 48 inches wide; drapes and launders beautifully; known to be the finest and best wearing sheer white fabric manufactured. *(Main Floor.)*

$1.50 Nainsook, Bolt, $1
10 yards of fine soft English Nainsook, 36 inches wide; just the goods for light weight undergarments.

Something Entirely New; English Violet Cloth
A new 36-inch white fabric, used extensively for nurses' uniforms, middy and co-ed Waists; launders perfectly; **15c**; worth 25c a yard.

Special Sales of English Longcloths
The genuine soft finish English Longcloth, which has a world-wide reputation; 36 inches wide; for women's and children's fine wear; nicely put up in 12-yard pieces; divided in four lots, as follows:
Lot No. 1—12 yards of Longcloth, worth $1.75, for **$1.25**
Lot No. 2—12 yards of Longcloth, worth $2.00, for **$1.35**
Lot No. 3—12 yards of Longcloth, worth $2.25, for **$1.50**
Lot No. 4—12 yards of Longcloth, worth $2.50, for **$1.75**

Spring Galateas, 12½c
All this season's newest patterns; just the goods for serviceable dresses, suits, boys' suits and school dresses; stripes, checks and solid colors.

New Embroid'd Dimity
This season's newest white fabric; a very fine cloth, with neat embroidered figures, for waists, dresses, etc.; **25c** a yard.

75c French Batiste, 35c
Comes in white only. Just the goods for graduation dresses; 45 inches wide; very highly mercerized and retains its luster when laundered.

Economy Linen, 15c Yd.
This fabric is one of the best wearing fabrics ever produced; 34 inches wide; looks and launders like all linen; all the leading shades.

Pre-Inventory Sale of Undermuslins, Aprons, Etc.

All Odd Lots and Mussed Garments at ⅓ to ½ Under Price



Gowns, Drawers, Chemises, Corset Covers and Aprons, made of cambric and lawn, trimmed with lace, embroidery and tucks; regular 75c and $1.00 values, choice, **50c.**

Gowns, Combinations, Drawers, Petticoats and Fancy Aprons of fine nainsook; prettily trimmed with Val. and torchon laces, embroidery, tucks and beading; $1.50 and $2.50 garments, choice at **$1.00.**

Combinations, Princess Slips, Petticoats and Gowns, made of finest quality nainsook; beautifully trimmed with fine laces and nainsook embroidery; regular $2.25 and $3.00 values; choice at **$1.50.**

All our finest Undermuslins, including three and four piece matched sets, that are soiled from display, offered at one-half former selling prices.

All our odds and ends in Infants' Long and Short dresses, Bath Robes, Sweaters and Leggings at One-Half price.
(Second Floor.)

$5.00 Corsets, $2.75



REDFERN Corsets—Styles G and GG, two models we are going to discontinue; high bust and long hips; made of imported batiste and coutil; boned with real whalebone; two pairs of hose supporters attached; all sizes; regular $5.00 values, at **$2.75**
(Second Floor.)

Neckwear, Veiling

SWISS Embroidery and Japanese Turnovers; neat, pretty designs; regular 19c values, at, each, **5c.**

LINEN Collars; white and colored embroidered; odds and ends; worth to 49c, at, each, **10c.**

CORD Ruching; odds and ends in Crepe Lisse and Chiffon Ruching; regular 25c value, yard, **7½c.**

CHANTILLY Lace Veils; all colors; 1½ yards long; worth $1.49 each; at **25c.**
(Main Floor.)

A $1.15 Novel, 49c



THE most popular Novel published in the spring of 1908 was Harold McGrath's "The Lure of the Mask"; the price was **$1.15.** We offer a beautiful new edition of this book, an exact replica of the original, at, each.... **49c**

"The Lure of the Mask" is a very entertaining Novel; we commend it to all readers of light fiction.

Extraordinary Sale of Embroideries from St. Gall

(Main Floor.) Three more cases have just been released from the Custom House, embracing Flouncings, Allovers, etc., on sale at about half their value. *(Main Floor.)*

Broderie Anglaise Flouncing; 27 inches wide; effective designs; soft, sheer material; all handmade; relief worked edges; values to $1.50 a yard, at **75c.**

Swiss Flouncing, yd., 98c
ABOUT 100 pieces of Swiss Flouncing; 45-inch; open English, cushion worked and blind designs; splendid material for Summer dresses; values up to $2 yard; on sale Wednesday, at, yard, **98c.**

27-inch Flouncings; very effective designs; deeply embroidered; on sheer quality Swiss; worth to $1.00 a yard, at **49c.**

EMBROIDERED Corset Cover and Flouncing, on Swiss nainsook and cambric; shiffle and hand-machine embroidered; with and without ribbon beading; values to 45c yard, **25c.**

Flounces; 27 inches wide; deeply embroidered in pretty open and combination blind effects, with good, firm scallops; for children's dresses, waists; worth 49c yard, at **27c.**

Emb. Fronting, Yd., 69c
VERY beautiful Embroidery Fronting, in white and combination colors; two-thirds yard is sufficient for waist front; values range up to $2 yard; on sale at, per yard, **69c.**

Clearing Boys' Clothing At $2.50



Boys' $5 and $6 Suits
BOYS' All-wool Suits, in all styles and colors; nicely tailored; two and three button double-breasted coats; full cut Knickerbocker trousers; sizes 6 to 17 years; regular $5.00 and $6.00 values; special for Wednesday at **$2.50.**

Boys' Knickerbockers, 65c
A GROUP of 95 pairs of Boys' All-wool Knickerbockers, fancy and plain blue serge; all sizes; $1.00 and $1.25 values; special at **65c.** *(Second Floor.)*

A Special Sale of Roller Skates



Roller Skates; castiron wheels; toe and heel strap; extension; special, per pair, **39c.**

Roller Skates; castiron wheels; toe clamp; good quality leather heel strap; worth 85c; special at **65c**

Roller Skates; extension rubber cushions; oscillating truck; heel strap; clamp toe; steel wheels; worth $1.50; special for Wednesday at **$1.15.** *(Second Floor.)*

Roller Skates; ball bearing; extension rubber cushions; oscillating trucks; sole leather heel strap; clamp toe; worth $3.50; special, Wednesday, at **$2.98.**

Our Basement Salesroom Is the Real Bargain Center of the Million City That Is to Be

Shaker Flannel
Cream white and Bleached Cotton Shaker Flannel; soft fleeced; worth 8⅓c; yd., **5c**

Roller Toweling
Barnsley All-linen Crash Roller Toweling; bleached; 18 inches wide; worth 10c yard; **7½c**

French Flannelette
Fancy Printed French Flannelette; large and small designs; 36 inches wide; worth 15c a yard; at **6½c.**

Bleached Muslin
Soft-finished Bleached Muslins; full yard wide; worth 9c a yard; at **6½c.**

Readymade Sheets
Readymade Bleached Sheets; extra length; 81x99 inches; worth 75c each; at **49c.**

Outing Flannel
Good quality Outing Flannel; narrow blue and white and pink and white stripes; worth 10c a yard; at **5c.**

Sheet Blankets
Large size, soft fleeced, gray Sheet Blankets; finished on each end; worth 75c each, on sale Wednesday priced at **49c.**

3 O'Clock Special
Wednesday at 3 o'clock we will place on sale 240 pair of White Wool-mixed Bed Blankets; 10-4 size; worth $2.50 a pair; at **$1.69.**

Women's Undergarments

WOMEN'S Extra Size Gowns, Drawers and Corset Covers, made of muslin and cambric; trimmed with embroidery, lace and tucks; slightly imperfect; regular 75c and $1.00 values, at **50c.**

CHOICE of one lot of **Women's Gowns, Drawers and Corset Covers**, made of cambric and nainsook; lace or embroidery trimmed; 50c and 75c values; three for **$1.00**; per garment, **35c.**

WOMEN'S Gowns, Drawers, Combinations, Chemises, including extra size garments, of best quality muslin and cambric, beautifully trimmed with lace or embroidery; $1.25 and $1.50 values at **75c.**

Underwear Sale in Basement

Men's Heavy Cotton Underwear; ribbed, flat, fleeced and camel's hair; reinforced seat; close-fitting cuffs and ankle length; values up to $1.00; per garment, **39c.**

Youths' and Boys' Cotton Underwear; ribbed, medium weight; sizes up to 36; 25 dozen on sale Wednesday at, per garment, **15c.**

Boys' Flannelette Nightshirts, in blue and pink stripes; sizes to 14 years; all full length; with collar and double cuffs; worth 50c; Wednesday, at, each, **35c.**

Women's Soft-Finished White Cotton Underwear; Vests with long or short sleeves, drawers ankle or knee length; regular 29c garments; while they last, per garment, **17c**; three for **50c.**

Children's White Ribbed Drawer Waists; double front bands and buttons; sizes 2 to 14 years; worth 15c; Wednesday, each, **9c.**

Choice of Any Winter Coat in Basement

Actual $16.50, $12.50 and $10.00 Values, at $9.95, $7.95 and $5.95



WEDNESDAY you have unrestricted choice of any Winter Coat in our Basement Salesroom at **$9.95, $7.95** and **$5.95.** Coats that formerly sold at $10.00 to $16.50. They are all this season's newest styles and models, made of all-wool kersey, cheviot, broadcloth, melton, etc.; 50 to 54 inches long; semi-fitted, slashed back; large patch or flap pockets; some have shield front with velvet collar; others plain notched collar, also shawl effect; all sizes.

$1 White Wash Waists at 69c
THESE Waists are slightly soiled from handling, made of good quality pure linen, linene and Union linen, in a great variety of styles; laundered collar and cuffs; some full plaited fronts; others with large pearl buttons and pockets; all sizes; actual $1.00 values, at 69c.

79c Dressing Sacques at 39c
MADE of good quality flannelette, in black and white shepherd checks, light or dark blue, gray, red and lavender, floral, scroll or Persian designs; some made with belted back; turndown collar; others have peplum and turnback cuffs; all sizes; actual 79c values for **39c.**

Glove Specials

WOMEN'S and Children's Cashmere Gloves; fancy lined; Kayser make; all sizes; worth 35c pair, at **25c.**

WOMEN'S and Children's fine All-Wool Golf Gloves; worth to 35c a pair, on sale at **15c.**

WOMEN'S Cashmere Gloves; silk lined; regular 50c value, at **35c.**



McCall Pattern 9813
A Pretty Guimpe Waist
The daintiest of up-to-date waists are cut with the body and sleeve in one, a revival of a mode popular a few seasons past. One prettiest uses these over-blouses are put to at present is to make them of chiffon and drape them over a completely trimmed underwaist or guimpe. More orthodox developments show the over-blouse of silk, satin, crepe meteor or light weight wool- ens over a guimpe of net, all over lace or some sheer waist fabric. McCall Patterns on sale at our Pattern Department, reflect the latest popular modes.

12½c Curtain Madras, 5c
About fifty pieces of beautiful Curtain Madras, in pretty color effects and fast colors; regular 12½c quality; while the lot lasts, yd., **5c.**

Figured Etamine, 12½c
About 1000 yards of this pretty curtain material, in lengths of 2 to 8 yards; regular 19c and 25c values; while lot lasts, yard, **12½c**

Ruffled Curtains, Special, Per Pair, 29c
We will place on sale Wednesday 500 pair of Ruffled Curtains, made of sheer quality striped Swiss with full ruffle; well made; the material alone if bought by the yard would cost you more per pair, **29c.**

Lace Curtains in the very latest designs; exact reproductions of Battenberg and Filet laces; worth $2.50 pair; on special sale at **$1.49.**

Lace Curtains in handsome new designs; fine quality; an number of choice patterns choose from; would be g value at $3.00; price, **$1.9**

Lace and Embroidery Sale
In the Basement Salesroom

Up to 10c Linen Laces, Yard, 4c
About 500 pieces of pure Linen Lace, assorted widths of Edge and Insertion to match; pretty patterns; made of good, heavy wearing linen; the kind that sells at 5c, 7c and 10c a yard; very special at, per yard, **4c.**

Emb'dery Sample Strips
Edges and Insertion in clever open patterns, worked on Swiss and cambric; all wanted widths; worth to 10c yard, at **5c.**

Corset Cover Emb'dery
Full 17 inches wide; deep embroidery, with ribbon beading top; 25c values; at, per yard, **17c.**

Embroidery Flouncing
Embroidery Flouncing, 27-inch, very deeply worked in a score of pretty, open designs; heavy edge; worth 39c and 49c yard, at **27c.**

75c Val. Laces, 39c
Broken sets of Edges and Insertion, in all widths; best quality and patterns; sold in the Main Lace Section at 75c a dozen yards; clearing price, dozen yards, **39c.**

To 10c Torchon Laces, Yard, 5c
Matched Sets of Torchon Edges and Insertion; all widths; worth to 10c a yard, at, per yard, **5c.**

FOUR ST. LOUISANS AT LAND TRIAL ARE DISCHARGED

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 25.—Four defendants in what is known as the Routt County land fraud case were dismissed by Federal Judge Trieber. They are Lewis M. Rumsey, Charles H. Dodge, Charles Haberback and Gus Haberback, all of St. Louis.

F. W. Kettel and Franklin F. Fay, the latter of St. Louis, were held for further trial. Judge Trieber held that no case had been made against the four men, who were charged with obtaining valuable coal lands in Routt County, Colo., by means of dummy entrymen.

Frederick N. Judson of St. Louis was counsel for the defense.

The Best Cough Syrup Is Easily Made at Home.

You can make a full pint of cough syrup in five minutes by this recipe—enough to last a family a long time—at a cost of only 54 cents. It is not only cheaper, but better, than the cough medicines you buy. Its taste is pleasant—children like it. It stops obstinate coughs in a hurry, and is splendid for other throat troubles.

Granulated Sugar Syrup.....13½ oz.
Pinex ..... 2½ oz.

Put 2½ oz. of Pinex in a pint bottle and fill up with granulated sugar syrup made as follows: Take a pint of granulated sugar, add ½ pint of warm water and stir about 2 minutes. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

This recipe will not work with any of the weaker pine preparations. Use the real Pinex itself, which is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway White Pine Extract. All druggists have it, or can get it easily on request.

Strained honey can be used instead of the syrup, and makes a very fine honey and pine tar cough syrup. ADV.

ULTIMATE CONSUMER CAPTURED BEFORE AN OLIVE STREET DOOR





The Painter Should Save

The most important thing in saving is to BEGIN. The next is to STICK TO IT.

Every one wants to make a financial success of life, but many fail to do so because of the lack of a plan of systematic saving.

The man who finds it difficult to save something is in need of a plan.

Mercantile Trust Company
8th and Locust Streets.

60¢ Sale

In cutting the price of any Man's or Woman's Shoe 60 cents, we make it easy for some competitor to make a greater reduction. However, we would rather sell less shoes before we attempt to have a single pair leave ShoeMart misfitted.

To give you your choice of any shoe at 60 cents reduction, and carefully fit the same, is the biggest bargain in the shoe business. Think it over!

A Few Ideas of the Values:



For **$1.90** Ladies can buy beautiful calfskin, patent leather or kidskin shoes, either button or lace, newest lasts, and be fitted—which is not carefully done in most sales.

For **$2.40** Ladies can buy very stylish boots in calf, kid and patent; at least one hundred styles, and all sizes.

A Sale on Children's Shoes At **$1.45**

We offer you black broad-toe calfskin shoes in both button and lace for $1.45. We offer black kidskin shoes for children in either lace or button styles for $1.45. These are the very best values in children's shoes.

SHOEMART
The Place to buy shoes
507 WASHINGTON AVE.

COULD NOT KEEP WOLF FROM DOOR, SO LOCKED IT UP

Boys Grapple With Beast and Now It Is Prisoner in Basement.

No matter how high the prices soar, St. Louis consumers need not fear the wolf at the door. He has been captured and is now in the cellar.

Mr. Gray Wolf, alias Ultimate Consumer, appeared at the door of George Mareschal's newspaper supply station, 3223 Olive street, early Sunday morning and threw 20 newsboys into panic. They went higher than current prices. The ceiling was the only thing that stopped them. That is, all but Richard Welsh and Ernest Cooper. The other 18 beat them to the perches and from sheer necessity they grappled with the wolf at the door and flung it outside the door, but before they could close the door the wolf at the door came through the door again.

James Reed and George Barth, who have had experience as spectators at Wild West shows, lassooed the beast and tied it in a rear room. The wolf howled at the door for something to eat and the other tenants complained. It was too realistic. They couldn't forget the high prices as long as they could hear the wolf.

Mareschel had first right to it, because it come to his door, but he gave it to Reed, who took it to his home at 20 North Garrison avenue and lodged it in the basement. It is getting regular meals there and will not howl at anyone's door as long as the rations hold out. What is worrying Reed, though, is how he is going to keep on feeding the wolf at prevailing prices.

Nobody knows where the wolf came from.

Solid Gold Signet Rings for graduation gifts, $2.50 to $20, at "Jaccard's."

MRS. GOULD SUED BY CONVICT FOR RETURN OF $2400 LOAN

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Howard Gould, who last summer obtained a separation from Howard Gould with alimony of $36,000 a year, had an exciting day yesterday when she went to the Courthouse to defend the suit brought against her by Malcolm N. Butler, an assignee, to recover $2680 for clothing she is alleged to have bought from the Lichtenstein Millinery Co. before she quarreled with her wealthy husband. Her defense is that her husband is responsible for the bill and the case will be submitted this afternoon.

As she left the courtroom with her counsel, Clarence J. Shearn, when court adjourned for the noon recess, a process server rushed up to her and thrust some legal papers into her hands. Mrs. Gould took the papers with a toss of her head and went her way.

The documents proved to be a summons and complaint in an action brought against her by William C. Woodward, alias "Big Bill" Hawley, an ex-convict, to recover $2400 he asserts he loaned to her 16 years ago.

The name of "Big Bill" Hawley was mentioned several times when Mrs. Gould sued Howard Gould.

Fire Sale.
The Joe Bone Clothing stock at 211-213 North Sixth street, damaged by fire, smoke and water on the 24 inst., will be offered to the public tomorrow at prices that were made possible only by the adjustment made with the insurance companies. All of the goods that were injured by fire have been taken from the stock so that the damage is only that which was caused by exposure to water and smoke, which does not materially affect their value. Joe Bone says he intends to offer his whole stock at prices that will startle the community and bring throngs of people to take advantage of this opportunity to get men's clothing at prices rarely offered.

Diamonds, Watches on Credit.
Big bargains in all broken lines and odd pieces. January clearance sale. Some beautiful selections. Pay as convenient. Loftis Bros. & Co., 3d floor, 309 N. Sixth st.

MAJORITY OF MILLION CLUB OFFICERS ARE REPUBLICANS

Members, However, Deny That Political Aspect Has Any Significance.

Republican members of the Million Population Club denied Tuesday that the slate put through at the election Monday night was a Republican slate. They said it just happened that eight of the ten directors elected were Republicans.

That there was a slate was no secret. Cards bearing the names of the slate nominees were passed around before the election and when these were exhausted the names were checked on the ballots.

Frank Gaiennie was not on the original slate, but because of his personal popularity he was elected over John F. Nangle.

Charles F. Wenneker was unanimously re-elected president of the club for the fourth time, but immediately resigned and a committee composed of Judge Hiram Moore, M. R. H. Witter, John F. Nangle, A. R. Schollmeyer and James Reardon was appointed to nominate a successor and report at the February meeting. Wenneker said he resigned solely on account of the necessity of giving greater attention to his business.

The friends of Hugh K. Wagner, president of the Young Men's Republican Club, are boosting him for the presidency. A. H. Frederick is mentioned. Wenneker suggested the election of Mr. Gaiennie.

C. F. Blanke was re-elected first vice-president, H. S. Sharpe second vice-president and Otto F. Karbe, secretary. Julius A. Berninghaus was elected treasurer to succeed O. J. Goeran. The directors elected were Louis P. Aloe, F. Ernest Cramer, John H. Holmes, Henry W. Peters, Henry G. Roffes, H. A. Diamant, Louis Schmidt, Oscar Sontag, Hugh K. Wagner and Frank Gaiennie.

ONE DOSE RELIEVES INDIGESTION AND ALL OTHER STOMACH DISTRESS.

If you had some Diapepsin handy and would take a little now your stomach distress or Indigestion would vanish in five minutes and you would feel fine.

This harmless preparation will digest any thing you eat and overcome a sour, out-of-order stomach before you realize it.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you do eat seems to fill you, or lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a little just as soon as you can. There will be no sour rising, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no undigested food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it prevents fermentation and takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is at any drugstore waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to thoroughly cure almost any case of Dyspepsia, Indigestion or any other stomach disturbance.

Sonnenfeld's

L. ACKERMAN, Manager
610-12 WASHINGTON AVENUE

SEMI-ANNUAL INVENTORY SHEET

Date, January 25th, 1910

Department	Quantity	Description	Original Price	Inventory Price
Suits.....	1	White Diagonal 50-inch Coat Suit....	$65.00	$24.75
"	1	Navy Diagonal Suit, size 44.....	69.50	24.75
"	7	Suits in colors.....	55.00	24.75
"	9	Black Suits	55.00	24.75
"	29	Suits in colors.....	45.00	19.75
"	22	Black Suits	45.00	19.75
"	18	Suits in colors.....	45.00	14.95
"	7	Suits in colors.....	39.50	14.95
"	12	Suits in colors.....	35.00	14.95
"	26	Black Suits	39.50	14.95
"	31	Black Suits	35.00	14.95
"	14	Junior Suits, sizes 13, 15 and 17.....	16.75	6.95
"	11	Misses' Suits, sizes 14, 16 and 18.....	17.50	6.95
"	22	Ladies' Suits, in colors.....	17.50	6.95
Skirts....	82	Skirts in Panama and Voile.....	9.95	5.95
"	74	Skirts in black and colors.....	6.95	3.95
Dresses...	2	Dresses of Diagonal.....	45.00	14.95
" ...	5	Dresses of Serge.....	45.00	14.95
" ...	19	Dresses of Serge and Diagonal.....	20.00	6.95
Coats.....	52	Coats of Broadcloth and Covert Cloth.	19.75	7.95
"	29	Coats of Black Broadcloth.....	27.50	9.95
"	32	Coats of Broadcloth and Covert Cloth.	35.00	11.50
"	17	Coats of Chiffon Broadcloth (colors)..	55.00	19.75
"	32	Coats of Chiffon Broadcloth (black)..	55.00	24.75
"	1	Full-length Silk Velvet Coat, size 40.	65.00	29.75
"	3	36-inch Silk Velour Coats.....	35.00	15.00
"	11	Misses' Covert Coats (full length)....	15.00	5.00



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12½c Percales, yard wide	5c
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$1.50 Bed Comforts, double-bed size	73c
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TRAIN ROBBER SUSPECTS BOTH PROVE ALIBIS AND ARE FREED

Part Held at Jefferson City Convince Authorities of Innocence in Glencoe Holdup.

James Hartley and Gilbert McPherson, arrested on suspicion of complicity in the Glencoe train robbery, were released from the Jefferson City Jail Tuesday, according to a dispatch to the Post-Dispatch having proven alibis. Hartley was at a Franklin County farmer's home, 40 miles from Glencoe, last Friday night, and McPherson was at the home of a brother in St. Louis. Their arrest was due to the belief of Fireman Slocum, who saw them in the railroad yards Sunday night, that Hartley looked like one of the bandits.

Railroad detectives and Federal secret service men are working on the robbery, and hope of capturing the bandits has not been abandoned.

COUGHING BURST BLOOD VESSEL

Says Danger Avoided and Cures Coughs in 5 Hours.

A writer for the medical press states that coughing is responsible for the bursting of blood vessels quite frequently. A cough or cold means inflammation (fever) and congestion, and these in turn indicate that the body is full of poisons and waste matter. Simple relief, as found in patent cough medicines, and whiskey, often result in more harm than good; as they cause more congestion. A tonic-laxative cough syrup will work marvels and here follows a prescription which is becoming famous for its prompt relief and thorough cures. It rids the system of the cause, except it be consumption. Don't wait for consumption to grasp its victim, but begin this treatment, which cures some in five hours. Mix in a bottle one-half ounce fluid wild cherry bark, one ounce compound essence cardiol and three ounces syrup white pine compound. Take twenty drops every half hour for four hours. Then one half to one teaspoonful three or four times a day. Give children less according to age. ***

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$285.00 and $335.00

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Liberal allowance will be made for an old instrument in exchange.

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THE WORLD'S MEDICINE. For Bilious and Nervous Disorders TAKE BEECHAM'S PILLS. Sold everywhere, in boxes, 10c and 25c.

CONFESSION TO BE USED AT TRIAL OF W. V. TEASDALE

Former Cashier Admitted $5000 Shortage, Assistant District Attorney Asserts.

HEARING IS BEGUN

Federal Prosecutor Declares Washington Bank Teller Admitted Theft.

That Wann V. Teasdale, former paying teller of the Washington National Bank, confessed a shortage of more than $5000 in his accounts was the statement of Assistant United States District Attorney Charles H. Daues to United States Commissioner Stanton Tuesday at the beginning of the hearing to determine whether Teasdale shall be held for the grand jury.

Daues stated that the confession was made to President Leon W. Quick and directors of the bank on the night of Oct. 21, 1909, when they were checking up his books. Since Teasdale was accused of the shortage he has refused to make any statement whatever.

Attorney Daues said he would rely principally upon this confession to prove that Teasdale is responsible for the shortage.

"While checking up the books," Daues said, "Quick and the directors discovered the shortage. They called Teasdale into the room and asked him about it.

Quick then took the stand and corroborated Daues' narration of the alleged confession of Teasdale. He testified at length concerning the entries in the former paying teller's books.

The defense asked until Feb. 5 to prepare its evidence, stating that the numerous postponements of the hearing had prevented several witnesses from being present. The motion was granted and the case continued to that date.

Teasdale broke down. He touched Quick on the arm and said:

"'Mr. Quick, I might as well tell you the truth. I am short.'

"'How much?' asked Quick.

"'About $5000.'

"'What did you do with the money?'

"'I don't know. I must have spent it on my family. Nobody else is in any way responsible.'"

Daues said Teasdale then took the books and showed the officials of the bank just how the shortage was hidden and the exact amount.

Teasdale was represented by Attorneys Thomas B. Harvey and George Safford. The first witness called was John L. Proctor, a special agent of the Department of Justice assigned to national bank investigations.

The exact amount of Teasdale's shortage is said to be $5921.44. He was discharged some time ago and arrested. Commissioner Staunton will determine whether there is sufficient evidence against Teasdale to hold him for the Federal Grand Jury, which will have to investigate the shortage before a formal charge can be placed against the former paying teller.

THREE ARE KILLED, TWO HURT WHEN AUTO GOES OVER CLIFF

Kansas City Contractor, Wife and Friend Dead and Daughters Injured.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 25.—John Mahoney, a contractor, his wife, and Thomas McGuire were killed and Nelle and Lillian Mahoney, the contractor's daughters were seriously injured when an automobile in which they were riding plunged from Cliff Drive yesterday.

The car turned a somersault in the air after skidding over the edge of the cliff and fell bottom up in the shrubs 50 feet below.

The machine is believed to have got beyond control of the chauffeur in making a close turn on the edge of the bluff.

An Opportunity to Make $200.

The Woman's Guild of St. George's Chapel has arranged a word contest, the proceeds of which are to go toward the rectory fund. The above prize will be given to the person who sends the greatest number of words made from the letters contained in the following sentence: "Seek and ye shall find," subject to the following rules: In case of a tie, which is highly improbable, the money will be equally divided.

1. All words must be numbered, and written in ink.
2. All the words found in the English part of Webster's International dictionaries published not earlier than 1886 will be accepted, excluding the appendix.
3. No proper or geographical names will be accepted.
4. No letter can be repeated in any word oftener than it is found in the sentence.
5. A list containing more than 20 errors will be rejected.
6. Words spelled the same are counted but once, no matter how different the meaning is.
7. Words spelled differently, having the same meaning, will be accounted as separate words.
8. No plural words allowed.

All lists must be sent in by March 15, 1910, together with $1 in money, stamps or postal note, and the full address of the sender. Send this to "Word Contest Committee, P. O. Box No. 965, St. Louis."

MRS. JAMES H. BROOKMIRE.
MRS. EDWIN HARRISON.
MRS. F. H. KREISMANN.
MRS. W. C. LITTLE.

Weyl's Special Sale Wednesday, Jan. 26. 20c White Pound Currant Loaf, 17c.

Remnants From Our Lace Department

Nets, Gauzes and Chiffons, in all colors; single or double width; worth to $2.00; Pre-inventory price, per yard..... 75c

White and Colored Lace Bands; worth to 75c a yard; priced in Pre-inventory sale at 39c, 25c and..... 15c

Wm. Barr Co. St. Louis

Women's $3.50 Shoes, Now $1.45

Broken size assortments and discontinued lines in patent leather lace Shoes with substantial welt soles; sizes 2½ to 4 and 6 to 8; regular $3.00 and $3.50 values; good sensible shoes for street wear; Pre-inventory price... $1.45



PRE-INVENTORY SALE

Leather Goods

Real Leather Bags; in black, brown and tan; some fitted with leather coin purses; single or double strap handles; broken and round bottoms; leather gussets; worth from $1.50 to $2.50; your choice for..... $1.00

Leather Shaving Strops; double swinging:
25c value for.... 12½c
50c value for.... 25c
$1.00 value for.... 50c

A riddance of short lots—odd dozens, odd pieces—that shouldn't be taken in our yearly inventory

We have tried to omit lots too small to last all day—and therefore, besides these bargains there are scores of other good things that careful shoppers will be delighted to discover.

This Pre-Inventory Sale is quite apart from the usual bargain-giving—savings average greater and almost every line has its bargain offerings. The sale ends Saturday.

Pre-Inventory Sale of Undermuslins

Soiled and crushed Muslin Underwear left from the ⅓-off sale, which we must dispose of before inventory, will be placed on our bargain counters on the Second Floor at just ½ the marked price.

All goods worth $1.50 for..... 75c
All goods worth $2.00 for..... $1.00
All goods worth $3.00, for..... $1.50
And up to $25.00 at ½ off.

On the 19-cent table will be a good Corset Cover of cambric, made French style, with embroidery around neck and arm's-eyes, and muslin Drawers made full and regular with hemstitched hem, for, each..... 19c

Tailored Suits—Former Prices Cut Right in Half!

About one hundred women can share in this extraordinary offer! We've selected that many handsomely Tailored Suits for this great pre-inventory event! They're of chiffon broadcloths, wide-wale diagonals, mannish worsted, satin-striped prunellas, English serges and voiles. Coats are 40 and 54 inch models, lined with guaranteed satin and peau de cygne. Stylish skirts. Every suit at just half its marked price.

$75.00 Three-Piece Suits, now $37.50
$60.00 Three-Piece Suits, now $30.00
$50.00 Three-Piece Suits, now $25.00
$29.50 Two-Piece Suits, now $14.75
$19.50 Two-Piece Suits, now $9.75
$75.00 Two-Piece Suits, now $37.50
$60.00 Two-Piece Suits, now $30.00
$50.00 Two-Piece Suits, now $25.00
$42.50 Two-Piece Suits, now $21.25
$39.50 Two-Piece Suits, now $19.75

Pre-Inventory Sale of Dresses

$22.50 Black and White Worsted Semi-Princess, now..... $9.75
$20.00 Navy Blue Moire Semi-Princess, now..... $9.75
$18.75 Raisin-Colored Serge Tailored Dress, now..... $9.75
$25.00 Maize-Colored Silk Poplin Dress, now..... $9.75
$21.50 Black Cloth, Persian Trimmed Semi-Princess, now..... $9.75
$25.00 Brown Serge Braided Semi-Princess, now..... $9.75
$23.50 Hunter's Green Broadcloth Tailored Dress, now..... $9.75

Pre-Inventory Sale of Flannelette Dressing Sacques

Prices cut beyond recognition, but we want every one of these garments sold by tomorrow night. They're of soft flannelettes in pretty colorings, made in loose or fitted styles, with high or low necks and long and three-quarter sleeves. We have all sizes. Former prices were $1.00, $1.15, $1.25 and $1.48, but we'll force them out in tomorrow's sale at..... 85c

$2.00 Wash Waists Now 98c Each

Odds and ends of pretty white Wash Waists, well made from batiste, sheer lawns and dotted Swisses, in attractive allover tucked styles or trimmed with laces and embroideries. Most of these waists are slightly soiled and mussed from display. Original prices were $1.50 and $2.00 each; our special Pre-inventory price is now..... 98c

Beautiful Silk and Net Waists Reduced

Tailor-made Silk Waists, also Waists of white and colored nets, made over self colored or white Jap silk, neatly tucked, inserted with embroidered and braided bands, and trimmed with Val. laces and silk piping; colors are brown, green, tan, wistaria, white and cream; were $5.00 and $6.00 each; will now be sold, before inventory, at..... $2.45

Pre-Inventory Reductions on Women's Winter Coats

$16.50 brown English tweed Tailored Coats for..... $5.00
$19.75 black cheviot Coats; Moyenage effect; for..... $9.75
$22.50 black broadcloth Tailored Coats for..... $12.75
$22.75 gray English tweed Moyenage Coat for..... $12.75
$30.00 black French serge Military Coat for..... $16.50

Alarm Clocks

High-grade Clocks, with 24-hour movement; loud alarm and shut-off attachment to stop ringing; good, accurate timekeepers and usually sold at 75c each; offered on our Third Floor tomorrow at..... 59c

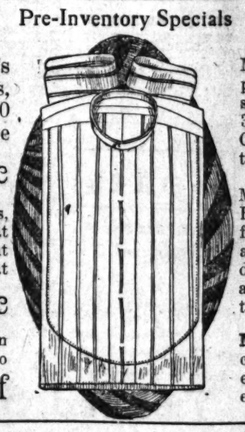
Men's Shirts

A lot of broken sizes in Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, that sold originally at $1.00 each; sizes 17 to 18½ only; we now offer these splendid Shirts at..... 29c

Pretty Negligee and Pleated Shirts, in light and dark colors; shirts that have sold readily at $1.50 each, but now to be closed out in this great Pre-Inventory Sale for only..... 79c

Men's Underwear—A lot of broken sizes in wool Undergarments now to be closed out at..... Half

Pre-Inventory Specials



Men's Hosiery

Men's Fancy Half Hose, in very pretty colorings and effects; exclusive haberdashers charge 25c and 35c for these identical qualities. Our Pre-Inventory price tomorrow is..... 10c

Men's handsome imported Half Hose, in embroidered and striped effects; goods actually worth 50c, 75c and $1.00 a pair, but which we've decided to clear away in this sale and have therefore reduced to..... 25c

Men's Sweaters—About 100; in fancy colors; were sold up to $5.00 each, but now offered at, each..... $1.45

Pre-Inventory Specials in Lace Curtains

100 pair dotted Swiss Curtains, with hemstitched ruffles, 2½ yards long; worth $1.35 per pair; Wednesday.. 85c

Sample Lace Curtains, including Cluny, Battenberg, Marie Antoinette, Irish Point and Arabian, 3 and 3½ yards long; slightly soiled and only 2 pairs of a pattern, at about Half Price, per pair..... $4.00 to $14.00

Axminster Rugs

Royal Axminster Rugs in regular 9x12-room size; lustrous finish and deep soft pile; Oriental designs; regular $30.00 Rugs; we offer you choice of 25 handsome patterns at..... $23.75

Solid Gold and Gold-Filled Jewelry

Solid Gold Jewelry.

Cuff Links, solid gold front; $1.25 value, per pair..... 95c
Cuff Pins, solid gold front; $1.00 values, per pair..... 65c
Solid Gold Collar Buttons; Krement's make; all styles; $1.00 to $1.50 value, each.. 75c
Solid Gold Scarf Pins, $1.00 to $1.50 values, for..... 65c

Gold-Filled Jewelry.

One Initial Engraved Free.
Children's Bracelets, $1.00 value, for..... 50c
Scarf Pins; signet top; $1.00 value, for..... 50c
Waist Pin Sets; signet top; 3 pins to a set; $1.50 value, 50c
Beauty Pins; signet top; 2 pins to a set..... 75c

A Pre-Inventory Sale of Jewelry, including Belt Pins, Hat Pins, Beauty Pins, Dutch Collar Pins, Waist Pins, Necklaces, Bracelets, Barrettes, etc.; regular 25c and 50c values; your choice of the assortment, each..... 10c

Pre-Inventory Values in Hair Goods

Straight Switches of real human hair:
24-in., $5.00 value; for $2.50
26-in., $7.50 value; for $3.00
26 in., $10.00 value; for $3.95

Coronet Braids of fine-grade human hair:
$7.50 value; for..... $5.00
$12.50 value; for..... $7.50

Auto Hair Nets of real human hair; 3 for 25c; each, 10c

Wavy Switches of fine grade human hair:
26-in., $5.00 value; for $3.95
28-in., $7.50 value; for $5.00
30-in., $12.00 value; for $7.50

Silk Hair Nets, extra large, all shades; 3 for 10c; each, 5c

Horn Hair Pins; extra heavy, in steel and amber color; 25c value; special, 2 for..... 25c

Hosiery—Pre-Inventory Reductions

Children's fine ribbed Fast-black hose of fine quality maco cotton, full seamless; also black merino hose; sizes up to 9½; 25c values, pair..... 12½c

Children's Hose, fine ribbed black cotton, regular made; also black wool hose and women's plain black hose of medium-weight cotton; all sizes; regular 25c and 35c values; 3 pairs for 50c, pair..... 19c

Women's plain black imported hose of fine quality cotton and lisle thread, some with double fabric garter tops; also children's fine ribbed imported lisle hose, all sizes; standard 35c values; per pair..... 25c

Women's plain black imported lisle hose, heavy weight, with white-tipped heels and toes; also black silk lisle; all sizes; regular price 50c; 3 pairs for $1.00; per pair..... 35c

Linens Pre-Inventory Reductions

Barnsley Toweling; 18 inches wide; all linen; our regular 12½c quality at, per yard..... 10c

Huck Towels; 19x38 inches; all white, with fleur-de-lis and chrysanthemum designs; our regular 23c quality, each..... 15c

Breakfast Napkins; 18x18 inches, of bleached Irish linen; reduced from $1.75 dozen to..... $1.19

Tablecloths; Wm. Liddle & Co.'s brand; guaranteed quality; 2½ yards wide and 3 yards long; a few reduced from $7.50 to $4.95

Extraordinary Pre-Inventory Specials in Housefurnishing Goods Tomorrow

Floor Brush; 14 inches long; regular price $1.25; sale price..89c



Casserole Baking Sets; include 2 small bowls, 1 large covered bowl; regular price 75c; sale price..... 39c

Household Scales; weighs up to 24 lbs.; regular price $1.25; sale price..... 89c

Covered Dust Pan; neatly Japanned and one dusting brush; worth 35c; sale price..... 25c

Covered Bucket; pint size; regular price 19c; sale price..... 10c



Granite Berlin Kettle; 4-qt. size; regular price 45c; sale price..... 29c

6-qt. size; reg. price 60c; sale price..... 39c

No. 7 Tea Kettle; regular price 80c; sale price..... 59c

Tea Trays; 20-inch size, neatly Japanned; regular price 25c; sale price..... 15c

Washing Machine; round tub, with large fly wheel; regular price $6.50; sale price..... $4.59

Toilet Paper; fine tissue, 12 rolls of paper and one toilet paper holder; special price..... 33c

Stewart Roxwood enameled ware, white lined, lipped sauce pan, 6-qt. size; regular price 85c; sale price..... 42c

8-qt. size; reg. price $1.00; sale price..... 49c

Tea Pot; 1½-qt. size; reg. price 90c; sale price..... 43c

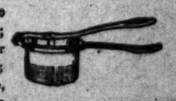
3-qt. size; reg. price $1.15; sale price..... 53c

No. 6 Tea Kettle; regular price $1.15; sale price..... 52c

National Fireless Cookers; including 2 enameled straight sauce pots, one milk pan and one pie pan, outside casing enameled in white; price only..... $3.75

Berlin Sauce Pan, (elite ware); 3-qt. size; regular price 75c; sale price..... 39c

Potato Press; regular price 25c; sale price, 17c



Waste Paper Baskets; of fine Japanese straw, fancy color and shapes.

50c size reduced to..... 35c
75c size reduced to..... 62c
$1.00 size reduced to..... 79c



Wool Wall or Floor Brush; will not scratch or mar; regular price $1.25, sale price..... 89c

Handkerchiefs Pre-Inventory Sale

Men's hemstitched Handkerchiefs; splendid quality all linen; regular 12½c values; reduced to..... 8⅓c

Women's unlaundered hemstitched Handkerchiefs, of fine sheer linen, with narrow hems; worth 25c each; special price, each..... 12½c

Men's hemstitched Handkerchiefs of finest quality pure linen; regular 50c values; Pre-Inventory Sale price, each..... 25c

FORMER SHERIFF'S SON WEDS GLASS CO. HEAD'S DAUGHTER

East St. Louis Couple Married at St. Henry's by Father William Cluse.

Miss Catherine Lenoir Nester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nester, 440 North Ninth street, East St. Louis, and Michael J. Kickham, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kickham, 3522 Bond avenue, were married at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning at nuptial high mass at St. Henry's Church, the Rev. Father William Cluse officiating.

Miss Nester's father is vice-president of the Obear-Nester Glass Co. in East St. Louis and the father of the bridegroom formerly was Sheriff of St. Clair County.

Mrs. Kickham is a graduate of Arcadia College, Arcadia, Mo., class of 1905, and specialized in music at Lindenwood College. Mr. Kickham is in the plumbing and heating business and is located at Sixth street and Missouri avenue.

The attendants at the wedding were Misses Marie Boismenue and Christine Weske, the latter of Chicago, and Messrs. Arthur Lauman and Michael Nester, the last a cousin of the bride's from Kansas City, Mo.

After the ceremony an elegant wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride and the couple departed for Kansas City, where they will pass their honeymoon.

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Fill out the blank lines below with your name and address, cut out coupon and mail to the PYRAMID DRUG COMPANY, 190 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich. A sample of the great Pyramid Pile Cure will then be sent you at once by mail, FREE, in plain wrapper.

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Come down and inspect the Piano—play on it—listen to its clear, sweet, singing tone; try its delightful, pliable touch.

The Piano itself will do more to convince you than all we can say here. Come down tomorrow, if possible.

Kieselhorst Piano Company

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DAINTY DIVA WHO IS A FEW CLOTHES ADVOCATE



LYDIA LIPKOWSKA.

RUSSIAN DIVA GOES HOSELESS AS BEAUTY FAD

Abhors Stockings as Tending to Detract From Dainty Contour.

Sh-h-h-h, ladies! Here's a tip.

Mme. Lydia Lipkowska, Russian coloratura soprano of the Boston Opera Company, does not wear underclothes or stockings. This, she asseverates, promotes health and preserves beauty of form.

Mme. Lipkowska, who will be seen in "Lakme" at the Olympic Theater Tuesday evening, is reputed to be one of the prettiest and daintiest women in grand opera. If her beauty is in anywise due to the fact that she abhors close-fitting undergarments, local dealers may look for a slump in the sale of silk hose and lingerie.

Only on the stage does the Madame wear hose. She abhors stockings. She declares they destroy the contour of the female form divine.

Stockings Bad as Corsets.

Madame says stockings are as bad as corsets. She does not wear underwear for hygienic reasons, and the fact that she is always ready to sing when scheduled indicates that her method of dress is beneficial. She always is free from colds or bronchial troubles.

On the street, Mme. Lipkowska wears fur shoes. These are lined with the finest elderdown. Her gowns are always of soft, clingy materials, calculated to catch and hold the warmth of the body. Mme. Lipkowska is but 23 years old. She has a personal manager and a maid. She has a suite of four rooms at the Jefferson Hotel. Two pianos were moved into her quarters Monday for her to practice her roles in "Lakme" and "Rigoletto."

Advocating Art in Nude.

Mme. Lipkowska is a stickler for art in the nude, and she vigorously defends the barefoot dancing of Isadora Duncan, which was so severely criticized by the ministry in St. Louis several weeks ago. Through an interpreter the little Russian woman indorsed the stand of many St. Louis women that there is a vast difference between art and the use of the nude for mercenary gain by unscrupulous theater managers.

"If anyone attacks Isadora Duncan for her barefoot dance," she said, "he or she fails to comprehend the artistic idea that underlies her performance. They fail to see the work of art she tries to put in living form, but only the bare feet of the dancer. Such criticism only proves that the thoughts of such a person are really below par as far as purity is concerned. Why should bare feet shock anybody? In ancient Greece the dance was considered a necessary part of every drama. These dramas are still the ideal that every budding playwright is trying to reach. If the critics of Isadora Duncan's performance are right, then the ancient Greeks must have been an immoral people."

Last week of the 20 per cent Discount Sale at Jaccard's. Better buy now.

Rifle Range for High School.

MONTCLAIR, N. J., Jan. 25.—A rifle range has been added to the physical training equipment of the Montclair High School. Ninety-five boys have been enrolled in a class which is taking regular instruction in marksmanship.

The legitimate PAID circulation of the Post-Dispatch in St. Louis and its suburbs is greater than that of ALL other English Dailies COMBINED.

PINCHOT OPENS HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The boldest political movement ever pulled off in Washington, under the shadow of the White House, is the establishing of headquarters of the National Conservation Association, just accomplished.

Fired from the Government service, Gifford Pinchot has described a graceful parabola and landed on his feet in the new citadel of the Roosevelt "Back From Elba Club." His present position is president of the National Conservation Association, which in the future will have its headquarters in Washington. Mr. Pinchot was selected at the suggestion of Dr. Charles W. Eliot, formerly president of Harvard, who had been at the head of the organization.

It was with the knowledge of this organization back of him that Gifford Pinchot wrote the letter read by Senator Dolliver in the Senate which forced the President to put Pinchot out of office.

The new association has established headquarters in the Colorado Building here, and those headquarters will be the fort from which the fight for the return of Roosevelt to the presidency will be begun. The nucleus of the organization is not insignificent. All of the members, particularly Mr. Pinchot and Mr. Carnegie, have money to spare, and the others are militant and have large influence politically.

The present plan, already under way, is to form congressional district committees in every State, ostensibly and primarily to carry out the conservation idea, but essentially to keep alive the Roosevelt ideas.

FIGHT ON HOOK WORM TO BEGIN

Rockefeiler Commission Opens Headquarters in New York.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Headquarters of the Rockefeller hookworm commission have been opened in the Union Trust Building in this city. Its work will be directed from Washington.

A member of the commission will leave this city tomorrow for a tour of some of the Southern States in connection with the campaign against the "lazy worm." Prof. Wickliffe Rose of Nashville, Tenn., will be one of the directors of the work.

Home Town Indorses Morse.

BATH, Me., Jan. 25.—The Bath Merchants' Association tonight adopted a resolution indorsing petitions for clemency in behalf of Charles W. Morse. Bath is Mr. Morse's birthplace.

FOUGHT TO RETAIN FORMULA WHICH HAS MADE A FORTUNE

L. T. Cooper, the man who believes that 90 per cent of all ill health of this generation is caused by stomach trouble is fast winning a national faith in his theory. His claim is now admitted by a surprising number of people throughout the country, and he is gaining new adherents every day.

While speaking of his success in a recent interview, Mr. Cooper said: "I believed ten years ago that any one who could produce a formula that would thoroughly regulate the stomach would have a fortune. When I got hold of this formula I knew within six months that I was right, and that my fortune was made. I called the medicine Cooper's New Discovery, although I did not get up the formula. I have owned it, however, for over five years. I have had one lawsuit over it, which I won in the courts. When it was settled The Cooper Medicine Company became the only firm in the world that can prepare the medicine. The preparation has sold like wildfire wherever introduced. As I have said before, it is successful simply because it puts the stomach in perfect shape, then nature does the rest. There are any number of complaints never before associated with stomach trouble that the medicine has alleviated in thousands of cases."

Among statements obtained recently from users of this medicine that is arousing such universal discussion is one from Mrs. Emma Stanley, living in Chicago, at 713 Washington Boulevard, who said: "Perhaps I had the most complicated case that Mr. Cooper had to deal with. I was troubled for years with my stomach. I consulted with doctors and took many patent medicine preparations without result. My stomach was in such a wretched shape that I could not enjoy a meal that I ate.

"I was very nervous, and could hardly sleep; I had a roaring in my ears and dancing spots before my eyes. I felt very bad and weak. Then there was a very sore spot at the pit of my stomach that nearly set me wild.

"I heard about the Cooper medicine and decided to try it. I used four bottles, and the improvement in my case has been really wonderful. My nerves have been quieted, and I am so much improved that I feel like a new woman.

"I cannot say too much for these wonderful remedies, for they have made me well."

Cooper's New Discovery is sold by all druggists. If your druggist cannot supply you, we will forward you the name of a druggist in your city who will. Don't accept "something just as good."—The Cooper Medicine Co., Dayton, Ohio.

Garland's

Pre-Inventory Clearance Sale

ONLY A FEW DAYS MORE in which to dispose of all remaining winter garments. Some of our most **ATTRACTIVE APPAREL** is still waiting to be closed out, and there may be still here a **SUIT, COAT** or **DRESS** you admired last week but which was priced a little more than you wanted to pay. Come tomorrow and you'll find it still further reduced, in many cases **SEVERAL DOLLARS** lower for the final days of this sale—when positively everything must go, regardless of original cost.

The few items featured here are but a slight suggestion of the importance of this sale. If you would realize and grasp its full meaning come and see the vast array of bargains arranged for your selection.

Dresses — Ridiculously Reduced.

Dresses worth up to $15.00, for..... $3.98
Dresses worth up to $25.00, for..... $7.98
Dresses worth up to $35.00, for..... $11.98

There are Dresses of all materials and colors; broadcloth, serge, Venetian, taffeta and moire silk, messaline, etc., in fully 50 different styles, and in all sizes; for misses and women.

Coats — Regardlessly Reduced.

Coats worth up to $16.50, for..... $5.98
Coats worth up to $22.50, for..... $9.75
Coats worth up to $30.00, for..... $14.75
Coats worth up to $45.00, for..... $19.50

Many of these Coats have been in the house less than a month; all new models; not an undesirable style in the four lots; 52, 54 and 56 inch lengths; of broadcloths, diagonals, coverts, homespuns, etc., in black and all the desirable colorings; all sizes.

Tailored Suits Reduced

Two remarkable bargains—don't overlook these two items. We doubt if any woman's wardrobe is so complete that she can afford to ignore this opportunity.

$14.75 for Choice of Suits Worth Up to $35.00

All in this season's correct styles, made of broadcloths, diagonals, serges, worsteds, etc., in all the staple colors; coats lined with guaranteed satin; skirts in the new pleats; fully 50 distinct styles, and in all sizes; 34 to 44 bust measure.

$29.50 for Choice of Any Suit in the House. Values Up to $85.00

This is a great assortment; practically every style and color of the present season is represented, including all the pastel shades, as well as the darker colors; broadcloths, wide wales, homespuns, etc.; various length coats; all silk or satin lined.

Fine Lingerie Waists on the Bargain Table Wednesday

$4.00, $5.00 and $6.00 Fine Lingerie Waists; slightly soiled, mussed or broken sizes; over two hundred Waists in all, and all sizes in the assortment..... $2.98

$10.00, $12.50 and $15.00 Linen Lingerie Waists

Many hand made and hand-embroidered; about 60 exquisite Waists in this assortment..... $5.00

Our Sale of Fine Sample Furs Continued Wednesday

$12.50 French Lynx Pillow Muff..$7.50
$15.00 Black Marten Sets; shawl collar and pillow muff.....$8.75
$35.00 Black Wolf Sets.....$16.50

A grand assortment of fine Black Fox, Black Lynx and Eastern Mink Sets and separate pieces at about

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$1.85

Women's $3, $3.50 and $4 Shoes, $1.85 — Our recent great purchase of Women's High-grade $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes at $1.85 drew a big crowd Monday, and nobody left without buying. Considering the high quality of these Shoes, they are an unmatchable value in St. Louis.

1100 PAIRS FOR TOMORROW

Including almost every shape in Shoes made to sell at $3 to $4; almost every size and width and only one price for any pair in the lot..... $1.85

$1.50 Kid Gloves — 5000 pairs mended kid gloves from a leading manufacturer. These have been skillfully repaired and are practically as good as new; all sizes and shades; worth up to $1.25 to $1.50, choice. Main Floor. 69c

$3.00 Children's Coats — Children's Winter Coats, ages up to 10 years; Wednesday special, choice..... $1

$15.00 Dresses and Coats — 50 finest Taffeta Silk Dresses; choice styles; assorted colors; 300 Long Coats; fine all-wool materials; second floor..... $5

25c Pongee and Linens — 5500 yards in the lot; lengths suitable for dresses, waists, skirts and children's wear; absolutely worth 25c; your choice tomorrow (Basement); yard..... 5c

89c Chiffon Panama — 20 pieces, 52-inch Chiffon Panama; fine soft finish; in navy and black; worth regular 89c a yard; Wednesday only at this special price..... 42c

Wash Goods — Thousands of yards of odds and ends of Wash Goods, Dress Ginghams, Calicoes, Amoskeag Apron Ginghams, etc., per yard (Basement).. 3½c

19c White Madras — Shirtings, 36 inches wide; neat stripe patterns for waists, underwear, etc. Remnants, many to match..... 5½c

15c Hosiery — Ladies' fine full regular made fast black Cotton Hose, double heels and toes; Wednesday (Main Floor)..... 5c

$17.50 Tailored Suits — Our best Suits that have been selling up to $15 and $17.50 will be offered tomorrow at $8.98. These are the latest styles and of all-wool worsted and broadcloth in black, blue and colors (2d Floor). $8.98

75c Union Suits at 25c — Ladies' heavy ribbed, fleece lined Union Suits; nicely finished; Wednesday (Main Floor)..... 25c

75c Window Shades — 1000 best quality Oil Opaque Window Shades; good colors spring rollers; on sale Wednesday (Third Floor)..... 19c

Wood-to-Burn — 25c placques and 9-in. handkerchief boxes; all good designs for burning (Main Floor)..... 10c

Curtain Stretchers — 8:30 till 10:30 A. M.—Full size; 2 yards wide, 4 yards long; adjust to any smaller size; extra strong; nickle plated pins with center brace—for two hours..... Basement. 59c

75c Figured Silk Shantungs — Fancy figured fabric; woven like the Rajah silks; beautiful, lustrous silky cloth, something entirely new; 27-in. wide; all the newest shades; special, yard.... 38c

Men's 75c Shirts, 25c — Men's madras cloth and Percale Shirts; coat and regular style; all sizes (Main Floor) Wednesday.. 25c

25c Kimonos — Women's Fancy Kimonos, made of good quality flannelette—assorted patterns; from 8:30 while they last—Second Floor..... 10c

8c Outing Flannel — Wednesday we place on sale 2000 yards Outing Flannel; pretty patterns and was bought to sell for 5c; Wednesday. (Basement).... 3½c

35c Union Suits — Children's heavy rib, fleece-lined Union Suits; all sizes; Wednesday (Main Floor) 10c

$11.00

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stimulate the TORPID LIVER, strengthen the digestive organs, regulate the bowels, and are unequaled as an

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Medicine Free In Every Case Where It Fails to Relieve.

Neglect or pessimism, we believe, is the greatest enemy the public has to contend with when applied to the loss or recovery of health. Practically every case of consumption might have been cured if hope had been maintained and proper treatment had been resorted to at the first symptom of the disease. Until the advanced stage is reached consumption is curable. Catarrh is responsible, we believe, for many cases of consumption. It is about catarrh we want to talk to you today, incidentally consumption, since the two are so closely allied.

We have a medicine made from a prescription of one of the most successful catarrh specialists known. We believe it is positively without an equal. We are so satisfied that we are right, that we will supply the medicine free in every instance where it is used according to directions for a reasonable length of time, should it fail to give satisfaction in every particular. We want every one to try this medicine at our risk. There are no conditions attached to our offer. We put the user under no obligation to us whatever.

The medicine we want you to try is Rexall Mucu-Tone. It is a catarrh remedy that goes direct to the seat of trouble. It is carried by the blood to every part of the system. It purifies and enriches the blood, tones up the mucous cells, and brings about a condition of health and strength that tends to prevent the germs of consumption from getting a start. Besides this, Rexall Mucu-Tone is a wonderful appetizer, digestive aid and flesh builder. Its good effects are often felt from the very first dose. It is one of the largest and most satisfactory selling medicines that we have ever had anything to do with.

We know so much of the great good that it has done that we personally back it up with our reputation and money, which fact should be ample guarantee to satisfy anybody. Rexall Mucu-Tone comes in two sizes, 50 cents and $1.00. We urge you to try it. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies in St. Louis only at our store—The Rexall Store—The Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Broadway and Olive.

TO FLY ACROSS THE OCEAN

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—A balloon trip across the Atlantic will be undertaken in May! New York and Berlin capital is behind the scheme and the big dirigible for the purpose is now being constructed in Germany. The bag will carry 50,000 cubic feet of gas and will have two 50-horsepower motors. It is planned that the balloon shall leave Berlin on May 15, with Vancouver, B. C., as its ultimate destination.

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NEGRO CENSUS TAKERS TO COUNT ONLY OWN RACE

Supervisor Baker to Begin Examinations for Enumerators Feb. 5.

Henry A. Baker, Supervisor of the Census for St. Louis, who has orders from Washington to appoint as many negro enumerators as possible, says the negroes are to be employed only in taking the census of their own race. The negroes, says Baker, will not be used to number the whites.

Baker has just returned to St. Louis, after a conference in New York with E. Dana Durand, United States Director of the Census. He will announce his appointments to the 488 census-taking jobs in this city March 15. The Civil Service Board and Baker will conduct an examination of the applicants for the jobs, who already number 1600, Feb. 5. The examinations will be in the old custom house, Third and Olive streets, and at McKinley High School.

MAN ACCUSED OF LID CLUB CRIME FREED IN COURT

Doerr Fails to Identify Woelfel as One Who Beat and Robbed Him.

John Woelfel, who was arrested Jan. 17 in the North Side Democratic Club after the police had failed to gain admittance for several hours, and who was identified by John Doerr as the man who had robbed him of $50 after beating and kicking him, was discharged Tuesday by Judge Klene after Doerr denied on the witness stand that he had been robbed.

When asked if he had not told the police that he had been beaten and robbed in the clubrooms, Doerr replied that he was drunk at the time and was not responsible for his statements.

On the question of robbery, Doerr told the Judge he thought he had been robbed of $50 at the time he complained to the police, but that he found the money at his home when he returned. He said he remembered having a fight at the clubrooms and was under the impression that he was fighting with Woelfel, but he could give no positive evidence on that point.

Doerr is a foreman in the Peters Shoe factory at Jefferson and St. Louis avenues. He was found by Sergt. Andreveno and two patrolmen at 1:30 a. m. Jan. 17, at Seventh and Biddle streets. He was hatless, muddy, and had been severely beaten. He told the police he had been beaten and robbed in the North Side Democratic Club after he had bought drinks after midnight for several men there.

When the police sought admission to the club the doors were bolted by men on the inside. It was several hours before the police got Felix (Fish) McAdams to advise the men inside to open the doors. Woelfel, one of the men in the club, was arrested and was identified by Doerr as his assailant. He has been at liberty under bond pending the trial.

Another indictment is pending against Woelfel charging him with beating John Miller to death near the North Side Democratic Club last August.

E. P. BRYAN'S BODY TO ARRIVE IN NEW YORK JANUARY 31

Former St. Louisan Died in Porto Rico—Was Railroad Manager in Gotham.

The body of E. P. Bryan, former vice-president and general manager of the Terminal Railroad Association, who died Sunday in Porto Rico, will arrive in New York Jan. 31. A son, Edward Bryan, is accompanying the body back to the United States. E. P. Bryan was vice-president and manager of the Interborough Rapid Transit Co. of New York for many years.

Bryan was 64 years old. He came to St. Louis in 1892 as general manager of the terminals of the L. & N. Railroad in St. Louis. He was elected vice-president and general manager of the Terminal Railroad Association in 1896, and continued in that capacity until he accepted an offer in 1900 to become general manager of the Interborough Rapid Transit Co. in New York.

Bryan leaves a widow and five children: E. P. Bryan Jr., who married Eliza Hereford, daughter of James E. Hereford of Ferguson, president of the St. Louis County Trust Co.; John Bryan of New York, Scott Bryan, who married Miss Susie Nickerson, daughter of John Nickerson of St. Louis; Ashbell Bryan of New York and Sylvester Bryan.

W. D. Grant of the American Credit Indemnity Co., in St. Louis, is a nephew.

E. P. Bryan was a native of Ganville, Licking County, O. His father was an Episcopal minister. He entered the railroad service as a telegraph operator in 1865 in Kentucky. In 1891 he was made superintendent of terminals for the Louisville & Nashville Railroad at Louisville.

The Bryan home is at Boundbrook, N. J., 30 miles out of New York.

REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE BANQUET

Prominent Men Will Discuss Public Affairs Tuesday Night.

Members of the Real Estate Exchange say that the banquet of the organization, which will be held Tuesday night in the Mercantile Club, will be the largest and most successful of many years. President Rule, who will preside, has prepared a program of prominent speakers, and covers will be laid for 250.

On the program will be Gov. Hadley, Councilman Schutz, John H. Gundlach, James P. Blake, W. J. Holbrook, Samuel Bowman and Frank H. Gerhart. The list of speakers has led the members of the Exchange to believe that questions now before the public, such as the Terminal situation and the Free Bridge, will be discussed.

MOLL GROCERY CO. GETS LEASE

Pays Record Rental for Store at Euclid and McPherson.

The corner store of the building at the southeast corner of McPherson and Euclid avenues has been leased by Claude E. Vrooman to the A. Moll Grocery Co. for a term of 10 years at an annual rental of $2400. This, according to Mr. Vrooman, is the highest rental that has ever been paid for a store of this character in the West End. The location is one of the most advantageous in the city for a grocery store.

Patek-Phillipe Watches, the world's finest, at "Jaccard's," on Broadway.

Shot at Dog, Killed a Woman.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 25.—While attempting to shoot a dog, Edward Hostetter kill Mrs. Melford Price yesterday

NEW YORK WORLD WINS ITS FIGHT FOR EIGHT-CENT MILK

Every Retailing Firm in City With One Exception to Cut Price Feb. 1.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The New York World's persistent fight for 8-cent milk has been won.

The Alexander Campbell Milk Co., one of the largest retailers of milk in the city, selling about 1,250,000 bottles a month in Brooklyn, announced in display advertisements that beginning Feb. 1 the price of its milk would be 8 cents instead of 9 a bottle.

It was learned last night that every milk retailing firm in the city will follow in line today or tomorrow, except Borden's Condensed Milk Co., the directors of which insist they will stick out for 9 cents. But it is unlikely Borden's can hold out against the terrific loss of business that must ensue if it sticks to the 9-cent rate and a similar announcement from that quarter is looked for between this date and Feb. 14.

Alexander Campbell, president of the Brooklyn concern, attributed his action in cutting the price to the compulsion of public opinion brought about by The World's steady fight against the 9-cent extortion. He said he had no use for The World, and did not advertise the reduction in it. So The World reproduces Mr. Campbell's advertisement without cost to him.

AFRICAN MOVING PICTURES

Audience Fascinated at the Lectures Given by E. M. Newman.

The moving pictures of African scenes, shown by E. M. Newman at the Odeon, Monday night, in his lecture of Victoria Falls, fascinated his audience.

The pictures showed a hippopotamus hunt and views of the strange forests and odd villages along the Zambesi River. Victoria Falls itself made a beautiful picture. The entertainment Monday night was part of the fourth of Newman "Illustrated Travel Talks."

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may have strength and renewed vitality.

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contains the elements necessary to nourish every tissue and replace weakness with strength. Should it fail to do so in any case we refund the money paid us for the medicine used. Please try it.

WOLFF-WILSON DRUG CO., ST. LOUIS.

A BIG SENSATION

A Collection of Exactly 214

Women's Coats

$20.00 Up to $40.00 Values

Sale Price, $10.00 Wednesday

HERE'S the announcement of Wednesday's "star attraction" in the realm of women's wearing apparel. We present it for consideration by women who appreciate *real bargains.* Our final clearance is on. It's not the commonplace clearance; it's a rousing price-cutting event. On *these coats* we've made a big extra cut for tomorrow's selling.

There's many a cold day ahead when you'll need coats like these, and they will also be suitable for Spring. The quality of the fabrics, the colorings, the finish and the styles are above the average—exceptional.

Full length Coats in about 35 smart styles.

Materials—Broadcloths, Coverts, Kerseys, handsome Mixtures and heavy, double-faced fabrics.

Colors—Black, Blue, Tan, light and dark Gray, Brown, Green and others.

Linings—Some of these Coats are one-half lined with satin; others are lined throughout with satin; still others are lined with fine silk.

Former prices ranged from $20.00 up to $40.00—in fact, the greater number of these coats were originally priced above $30.00—the entire collection tomorrow at $9.90.

See our splendid display of these coats tomorrow in our Washington avenue show window.

Washington Ave. and Seventh St.

The MODEL

Women's & Misses' Depts., 2nd Floor.

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CLEARANCE DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR

FOR WOMEN'S SHOES

When women see Shoes offered at reduced prices their minds instantly travel to the concern behind the offer. That's why the response to our special announcements is so hearty. The women of St. Louis know that Brandt's reputation for reliability carries with it a guarantee of value that they can rely upon.

Here's another specimen of the opportunities that are winning popularity for our

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A recent purchase of 300 pairs of Ladies' Patent and Gunmetal Shoes places us in a position to offer you (while they last)

Some $2.50 and $3.00 Values for $1.65

Equally Good Bargains in Children's and Men's Shoes

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FIRE SALE



MY ENTIRE STOCK OF

Men's Suits and Overcoats

Was more or less exposed to fire, smoke and water, in the fire which occurred here on January 2nd. My claim has now been adjusted!

The Fire Insurance Companies Stand the Loss

and beginning tomorrow I propose to clear out the entire stock—and at any price it will bring!

All fire-damaged goods have been thrown out—the balance of the stock has only been exposed to smoke—and here and there a few drops of water—the damage, if any, is almost imperceptible—every garment is practically as perfect as the day it left the factory—but it all goes in this FIRE SALE at

Half and Less Than Half Former Prices

MEN'S SUITS that were $10, $15 and $20—(actual values up to $35)—will go in four lots At $3.50 $7.95 $9.35 $11.95

OVERCOATS that were $10, $15 and $20—(actual values up to $35)—will go in three lots At $6.45 $9.35 $11.95

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Eagle Stamps Given With All Purchases.

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THE ORIGINAL $10 & $15 JOE

211-213 N. Sixth Street—Near Olive Street.

NOT DAMAGED BY THE BONE FIRE NEXT DOOR

But, being overstocked, we are offering our entire stock of Man's Furnishings at Sacrifice Prices

FEW RESTRICTED LINES EXCEPTED

$1.50 Eclipse Shirts go at	95c	$2.00 Vests go at	95c	Meyer's Gloves go at	95c
$1.50 Cluett Shirts go at	$1.15	$3.00 and $3.50 Vests go at	$1.95	Wright's Underwear go at	69c
$2.50 Perrin's Gloves go at	$1.85	$1.00 Neckwear go at	65c	$1.00 Mufflers go at	65c
$3.50 Sweater Coats go at	$1.95	50c Neckwear go at	25c	Boston Garters go at	15c

ALL $2.00 SOFT HATS, $1.55 — ALL $3.00 SOFT HATS, $2.25

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BUTTER LOWER



Today we place on sale 50 tubs of Finest Elgin

Creamery Butter

Fresh churned, sweet and pure as butter can be made. You will pay 40c to 45c for this grade elsewhere. Hill's price, per lb..... 34c

First Class Storage Creamery Butter, Lb., 31c

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The New Wholebone Set of Teeth, which are the lightest and strongest set of teeth known, do not cover the roof of the mouth; bite corn off the cob; guaranteed for years. To introduce these $15.00 Sets of Teeth we have decided until further notice to make them for..... $3

I have tried four sets of teeth. The new Wholebone set is the only one that ever gave me perfect satisfaction.

MR. J. N. BOSTWICK, Hamnett, Ill.

All work done by expert, gentlemanly, licensed operators of middle age. No students.

PRICE LIST UNTIL JAN. 30th ONLY.

Re-Vamping Rubber	$2.00
Gold Crown, 22k	$3.00
Full Set of Teeth (double suction)	$3.00
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Bridge Work (per tooth)	$3.00
Gold Fillings	$1.00
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Have impressions taken in the morning and get teeth same day.

Examination and advice free.

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WE GIVE, REDEEM & GUARANTEE EAGLE TRADING STAMPS.

Young Men's Odd Suits
$10, $12.50 & $15 Values



For $5.00 Wednesday

In sorting out the broken lines in our young men's stock we grouped 286 odd Suits, in sizes up to 20 years, that were in our best selling $10.00, $12.50 & $15.00 lines this season—only one or two of a kind—of fancy worsteds, cassimeres & cheviots—in a good assortment of clever patterns & color combinations—the correct models. In order to close out this lot in one day, we offer them at ½ & ⅓ their former selling prices—Wednesday, while they last, choice of these actual $10.00, $12.50 & $15.00 Suits for **$5.00.**

Silk Petticoats
$4.50 & $5.00 Qualities



For $2.95 Wednesday

We continue this sweeping sale another day, but we cannot promise these extreme values after Wednesday — many fascinating styles—deep flounces in the new Van Dyke accordion plaited effects—tucked & strapped flounces & strictly tailored styles — percaline underlays & dust ruffles—cut amply full & wide—in the changeable effects, light & dark solid colors—also black—of rustling or soft finish taffeta silk—$4.50 & $5.00 values—Wednesday, choice for **$2.95.**

6.00 Silk Petticoats, $3.95

Of rustling silk taffeta in all the prevailing shades & black—new flounce styles—some strictly tailored—deep underlays & dust ruffles—actual $6.00 value—in this sale—Wednesday..... $3.95

Ask to see the new "EPPO" PETTICOATS



$2.50 & $3.00 Lace Curtains, $1.45 Pair

Heavy French cable net, point d'esprit, Scotch & novelty fish net Lace Curtains—new designs—all colors—worth $2.50 & $3.00—tomorrow, pair..... 1.45

$5.00 & $6.50 Lace Curtains, $2.75 Pair

Brussels net, French cable net, Saxony & Egyptian—exact copies of handmade Curtains—all colors—worth $5.00 & $6.50—tomorrow, pair..... 2.75

$7.00 & $7.50 Lace Curtains, $4.50 Pair

Genuine handmade Arabian, Cluny, Brussels & Renaissance Lace Curtains—made on French cable net or bobbinet, with wide handmade lace edges & insertions—rich openwork & spachtel designs—worth $7.00 & $7.50—tomorrow, pr.... 4.50

Women's $1 to $1.50 Vests, 48c

Broken lots & samples—wool—also silk & wool garments that are well made & splendidly finished—$1.00 to $1.50 qualities—Wednesday, choice for..... 48c

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS

Bleached—buttoned down front—neatly trimmed—59c value—Wednesday at Famous..... 39c

EXTRA SIZE UNION SUITS

Bleached ribbed cotton—fleeced—well trimmed—$1.00 value—Wednesday..... 69c

Children's $5.00 Coats, $2.99

Of Curly bearskin—all colors—quilted lining—sizes up to 6 years—$5 values—Wednesday, choice. 2.99

Children's Caps to Match—All colors—silk lined—69c value—Wednesday..... 35c

Men's Washable Fancy Vests

White, figured effects & light colors—sizes 33 to 37 only—actual $1 $1.50 & $2 values—slightly soiled in handling—Wednesday, while 300 last, choice of any for.... 25c

WEDNESDAY IS DRESS DAY



IN OUR WOMEN'S CLOTHES SECTION

As February 1st grows nearer and nearer, our determination to close out all Fall & Winter Garments becomes stronger & stronger. Our stock-reducing efforts will be centered in the Dress Section tomorrow. Everything has been blue penciled, but the quality has not been the least bit lessened.

Women's $8.50 & $10.00 Dresses for $4.75

Only 87 Dresses in this lot—one or two of a kind—all bargains of the most genuine sort—of Panamas, Henriettas & some taffetas—in black, blue & a few light shades—this season's models—stylishly trimmed or plain—actual $8.50 & $10.00 Dresses—Wednesday, choice..... 4.75

Women's $15.00 & $16.50 Dresses for $8.50

This season's popular models—of wales, serges, broadcloths, cheviots, taffetas & messalines—in the wanted colors—some richly braided, others plain-tailored—Dresses that were in our best selling $15.00 & $16.50 lines this season—Wednesday, to force them out, choice of any for..... 8.50

Women's $25.00 & $27.50 Dresses for $14.75

We sold hundreds of them this season & they were unmatchable values at $25.00 & $27.50—of worsteds, broadcloths, wales, cheviots & taffetas, in many fascinating models—some beautifully braided, others plain—this season's most desirable shades. We quote this very low price simply to close out these remaining lots—Wednesday, choice for..... 14.75

Women's $30.00 & $35.00 Dresses for $17.50

Stunning styles, possessing this season's most voguish fashion features—of chiffon broadcloths, serges, wales, diagonals, messalines & louisine silks—in wistaria, brown, olive, light blue, pink & white—dresses for street & evening wear—some copies of higher priced models—actual $30.00 & $35.00 values—Wednesday, choice for..... 17.50



Choice of Any Three-Piece or Novelty Suit in the House for $25.00

We will not carry them over till next season, no matter what the loss—Suits that you can wear now or during the early spring—the very best materials were employed in their construction—this season's most effective models, embracing every correct style feature—some plain tailored, some artistically braided—coats in the various lengths, silk & satin lined—skirts in the very best designs—Suits that are the products of America's foremost tailoring geniuses, & were in our best selling lines at $40.00, $50.00 & up to $65.00—to make a clean sweep of these magnificent Suits we offer you choice of any at the very low price of **$25.00.**

$25.00 $25.00

Great Purchase of Muslin Wear

Several thousand garments bought by our New York buyer from a prominent maker who was forced to convert them into ready cash to meet maturing bills—every piece is fresh, crisp & new, beautifully made, cut generously full, & your saving averages exactly the same as ours—**FULLY A THIRD**—attend tomorrow.

Women's $1.35 Gowns, 93c

Of French nainsook—trimmed with panels of Swiss embroideries, Val. laces & insertions, also ribbon beading—$1.35 value—in this sale..... 93c

Women's $1.25 Skirts, 74c

Of cambric—with 12-inch flounce of embroidery, four hemstitched tucks—$1.25 value—in this sale..... 74c

Women's $2.50 Skirts, $1.77

Of cambric—21-inch flounce of nine rows of dotted Swiss insertion—also nine rows of Val. insertion & edging—ribbon bows—$2.50 value—in this sale..... 1.77

Women's $4 & $5 Skirts, $2.97

Of nainsook—10 styles—elaborately trimmed with laces & embroideries—$4.00 & $5.00 values—in this sale..... 2.97

Women's $1.50 & $1.75 Gowns for $1.05

Of French nainsook—empire style—neck & waist trimmed with one-inch embroidered beading & ribbon—$1.50 & $1.75 values; in this sale..... 1.05



Women's 39c Chemise, 26c

Of cambric—two rows of lace insertion & edging—39c value—in this sale..... 26c

Women's $1.50 & $1.75 Combinations, $1.17

Of crossbar—trimmed with lace & ribbon beading—$1.50 & $1.75 values—in this sale. 1.17

Women's 50c Gowns, 37c

Of cambric, slipover & V necks—tucked yoke—cut full & long—50c value..... 37c

Women's $2.00 Skirts, $1.33

Of cambric—deep flounce of embroidery insertion—dust ruffles—$2.00 values—in this sale..... 1.33

Women's 49c to 59c Drawers, 33c

Of nainsook & cambric—umbrella & circular styles—trimmed with Val., torchon & Mechlin laces—choice of 20 styles..... 33c

Women's Corset Covers

Of French nainsook—2 rows of insertion—lace-edged around arm-holes—ribbon beading—29c value—in this sale..... 18c

Women's Corset Covers

Of nainsook—trimmed with twelve medallions—fronts edged with lace insertion & ribbon beading—49c value—in this sale..... 31c

Women's $1 to $1.25 Gowns, 74c

Of nainsook & cambric—slipover, V, high neck & empire styles—variously trimmed with lace & embroideries—$1.00 to $1.25 values—in this sale..... 74c

Women's Extra Size Gowns

Slipover style—cut extra long & wide—double extra size—85c value—in this sale..... 67c

Women's 3-Piece Combinations

Consisting of corset cover, skirt & drawers—of nainsook—trimmed with filet lace & edging—$2.50 value—for..... 1.87

Boys' $3.00, $4.00 & $5.00 Suits, Reefers & Overcoats

For $2.00 Wednesday



"Clean-Up" is the word before stock taking, & we have gone through the stocks & gathered all the odd suits, reefers & overcoats from our $3.00, $4.00 & $5.00 lines & give you choice of several hundred garments tomorrow, at the very low price of..... 2.00

Russian & Sailor Blouse Suits—also, good serviceable Reefers & Overcoats, in excellent patterns & practical styles—to close them all out quickly we offer these $3.00, $4.00 & $5.00 qualities—Wednesday at the gift-like price of. 2.00

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits for Graduation Wear

Complete line of Boys' Blue Serge & Black Unfinished Worsted Suits—just arrived this week from the east, in time for the graduation exercises—at the lowest prices in the city, consistent with good qualities.

Misses' $15 & $17.50 Suits For $8.85



Only five more days' selling before February 1st—that's why we've gone the limit on price cutting—suits of broadcloths, serges & worsteds, in all desirable colors—fancy trimmed—lined throughout—skirts full plaited or kilted—sizes 14, 16 & 18—suits worth $15 to $17.50 (& some odd suits worth up to $20) in this sale—choice of any for..... $8.85

Misses' $11.50 Cloth Suits, $5.00

All colors—satin lined coats—full pleated skirts.

Misses' $13.75 Suits, $6.90

Hard finished—of worsteds & broadcloths—all colors.

Misses' $20.00 & $22.50 Suits, $12.50

Of elegant materials—full lined coats.

Misses' $25.00 & $30.00 Dresses, $9.98

Sample Dresses—one of a kind—somewhat soiled from handling.

Misses' $22.50 Long Coats, $12.50

Full length styles—notch or high, close-fitting collars—neatly trimmed.

Misses' $15.00 & $17.50 Coats, $9.98

All-wool coverts, broadcloths & fancy mixtures—full length.

Women's $2.25 & $2.50 Pure Linen Waists, $1.50



For Wednesday's busy selling we offer several clever styles of pure Irish Linen Waists—strictly tailored—some with all-plaited fronts—some with clusters of narrow tucks, set off with tailored pockets—Gibson plaits over shoulders—hand-laundered linen collars & cuffs—waists that fit perfectly & will wash satisfactorily—$2.25 & $2.50 values—Wednesday—choice..... 1.50

Women's $1.25 White Waists, 75c

Several becoming styles—of soft lingerie cloths—entire fronts trimmed with rows of laces & embroidery—some with pretty medallions—some with yokes & lace collars—long sleeves trimmed to match—waists worth $1.25—Wednesday, while they last, choice. 75c

Women's $3.50 & $4 Shoes, $2.35

Of all the correct leathers—cloth or kid tops—this season's most desirable patterns—from our superior $3.50 & $4.00 lines—Wednesday, choice for..... 2.35

Women's $2.50 Lace or Button Shoes—Wednesday..... 1.60

Children's 75c to $1.50 Shoes—choice for..... 50c

50c Eiderdown Foot Warmers—various colors—Wednesday..... 25c

59c Bengaline Silks, 29c

Cords—19 inches wide—white, black, apricot, navy, old rose, Sweda, Copenhagen, hello, pink etc.—Wednesday, yard..... 29c

$1.50 Black Taffeta, $1.18

One very best pure dye double warp, extra strong, all silk, rich black taffeta—36 inches wide—worth $1.50, yard..... 1.18

Silk Dot Mousseline

Plain color, 27-inch shower dot silk muslin—for evening wear & scarfs—about twenty good shades—39c kind, yard..... 25c

Shepherd Check Silks, 75c

Heavy all-silk Louisine—24 inches wide—popular shepherd checks—$1 quality, yard..... 75c

Yard-Wide Taffeta, 63c

Soft finish—all silk—36-inch colored taffeta—good shades—worth $1.00—yard..... 63c

85c Satin Faille, 49c

27-inch soft finish satin faille—fifteen of the good colors—worth 85c—yard..... 49c

98c Gray Panama, 59c

Smooth finish, oxford gray—50 inches wide—worth 98c—yard..... 59c

$2.00 Red Chinchilla, 98c

54-inch heavy dark red chinchilla for children's cloaks—worth $2.00—yard..... 98c

Men's 50c, 55c & $1.00 Neckwear for 25c



Wednesday's offering shows plainly that we will stop at no loss to make the clearance of this season's goods complete, so that we can start the new season with new lines throughout.

Our offering tomorrow includes 55c Folded Squares, 50c Four-in-Hands & $1.00 Folded Squares—all of elegant silks, & in the most attractive & nobbiest patterns. It will pay you to stock up while the price is so low. Wednesday, choice of hundreds of these 50c, 75c & $1.00 Ties for..... 25c

Men's 25c Half Hose for 12c

Importer's samples & small lots of fancy half hose—of lisles & fine cottons—plain black, tan & two tone colors—some with neat silk embroidered figures—all sizes—35c values—Wednesday, choice for..... 12c

$10.00 Dinner Sets, $6.75

French Shape—pure white porcelain—100 pieces, including bread & butter plates—Wednesday—set..... 6.75

$3.00 doz. Breakfast Plates—Limoges French china—decorated—Wednesday—each..... 15c

$1.00 Fancy China Cups & Saucers—violet decoration. 79c

$1.50 to $2.00 Odd Meat Dishes—Extra large size—Wednesday..... 98c

15c Yellow Mixing Bowls—Wednesday..... 10c

50c Odd Fancy Jugs..... 39c

75c Doz. Engraved Table Tumblers—Wednesday, ea..4c

Linens & Cottons

New, fresh fabrics—contracted for months ago—in this sale at less than wholesale cost today—anticipate your needs now.

English Longcloth

Put up in 12-yard bolts—36 inches wide—correct weight for underwear.

$3.00 value—bolt..... $1.98
$2.35 value—bolt..... $1.69
$1.98 value—bolt..... $1.49
$1.75 value—bolt..... $1.35

Fancy White Goods

Corded lawns, novelty stripes & dotted Swisses—new spring styles, sheer quality—28 inches wide—

39c value—yard..... 25c
29c value—yard..... 19c
25c value—yard..... 14c
15c value—yard..... 9c

India Linon

Medium weight—32 inches wide—for waists, dresses & children's wear—

29c quality—yard..... 19c
25c quality—yard..... 15c
19c quality—yard..... 12½c
15c quality—yard..... 10c

Persian Lawn

Genuine sun bleached—sheer quality—32 to 45 inches wide—

39c value—yard..... 25c
29c value—yard..... 19c
25c value—yard..... 14c
15c value—yard..... 11c

Table Damask

All linen extra heavy half bleached Table Damask—floral designs—

75c value—62 in. wide—yard..49c
85c value—68 in. wide—yard..59c
$1.00 value—68 in. wide—yard..74c

Table Damask

All pure linen full bleached Satin Damask—2 yards wide—

$1.00 value—per yard..... 69c
$1.15 value—per yard..... 75c
$1.25 value—per yard..... 85c
$1.35 value—per yard..... $1.00

Towels

Bleached Hemmed Huck Towels with fancy red border—size 18x36 to 20x40 inches—

12½c value—each..... 8½c
15c value—each..... 11c
17c value—each..... 12½c

Table Cloths

All linen full bleached Pattern Table Cloths—with border all around—satin damask quality—

2x2 yard size—$3.50 value...$2.19
2x2½ yard size—$4.00 value...$2.75
2x3 yard size—$5.00 value...$3.50

Towels

Bleached linen Huck Towels—Hemmed or Hemstitched—white or colored border—

23c value—each..... 17c
35c value—each..... 24c
40c value—each..... 27c
75c value—each..... 50c

Table Sets

Hemstitched Linen Damask Table Sets—German silver bleache & full bleached cloths with one dozen Napkins to match—

8x10 size sets—worth $5.00...$3.69
8x10 size sets—worth $6.00...$3.98
8x12 size sets—worth $8.50...$5.98
8x14 size sets—worth $10.00...$6.98

Sale of Matting



Several hundred rolls, just fresh from abroad—were secured by us at a "cut price" from a large importer—it's your good fortune as well as ours.

35c & 40c Japanese Matting—One roll of a kind—in the highest grades imported—beautiful carpet & two-tone patterns—actual 35c & 40c values—Wednesday..... 25c

25c Japanese Matting—Carpet patterns—red, green or blue—roll of 40 yds. for $6.50, or, yd.. 17½c

45c China Matting—Best quality imported, 116 warp—in neat, attractive patterns—Wednesday.. 25c

Household Needs

Closing out small lots—hence these extreme reductions Wednesday:

$42.00 Bridge & Beach Steel Ranges..... $32.95
$4.50 Laundry Stoves—extra large..... $2.79
$1.50 Copper Bottom & Rim Wash Boilers..... 95c
$1.75 Adjustable Pin Curtain Stretchers..... $1.25
$1.10 Set Nickel-plated Smoothing Irons..... 69c
$1.25 Fiber Wash Tubs—various sizes..... 69c
$1.25 Willow Wash Baskets, wood bottoms..... 85c
5c Tissue Toilet Paper—10 rolls for..... 35c
$1.00 100-pound Tin Flour Cans..... 67c
39c large size Fiber Wash Basins..... 17c
49c 13-quart Galvanized Pails..... 19c
49c Enameled Wash Boards..... 39c
79c 6-ft. Ironing Boards..... 49c
49c Galvanized Wash Tubs—No. 3 size..... 47c
$3.00 Combination Cake & Bread Boxes..... $1.98
$7.50 Art Glass Gas Dining Room Domes..... $3.98
$16.00 Art Glass Electric Dining Room Domes..$11.98
$1.10 Fancy Inverted Lights—with fringe..... 69c
$3.00 3-light fancy Gas Chandeliers..... $2.00
$5.00 5-light fancy Gas Chandeliers..... $3.19
$3.00 3-light kitchen Gas Chandeliers..... $2.00
$4.50 4x8 Combination Chandeliers..... $3.00

Gray Stripe Cheviot

All wool, 50-inch cheviot serge—with narrow white stripes—worth $1.25—yard..... 50c

50c & 59c Dress Goods, 25c

Mixtures, stripes, checks & broken plaids—panamas, worsteds & odd fabrics—36 inches wide—Wednesday—yard..... 25c

59c Black Panama, 44c

All wool, chiffon finish—56-inch—smooth finish—rich black panama—yard..... 44c

Nurse Stripe Ginghams

Fast wash colors—all size stripes—full pieces & perfect—12½c value—Wednesday—yard..... 8½c

9-4 Bleached Sheeting

Only 1 case to offer at this price—full 2¼ yards wide—all perfect—No Seams—39c kind—Wednesday—yard..... 20c

90c Bed Sheets, 69c

Ready made—pure bleach—2½ x 2½ yards—seamless—90c value—Wednesday—each..... 69c

Poupees & Poplins

All the new 1910 shades—finished—fancy black & white—fast-wash color—17c kind—Wednesday, yd. 10c

Children's Percale Dresses

In China & navy blue & black & white checks—neatly trimmed with white piping—sizes 2 to 6 years—Wednesday, special for.. 65c

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A Real Delight.

ON A WINTER DAY IS A WARM COZY ROOM, HUNDREDS OF WHICH ARE ADVERTISED IN TODAY'S WANT COLUMS.

BANKER'S WIFE DEFENDS DOCTOR WHO SLEW HIM

Breaks Silence in Cell to Declare Her Relations With Physician Stainless.

HUSBAND AGGRESSOR

Asserts He Attacked Dr. Miller With Hatchet in Fit of Petty Anger.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Jan. 25.—Mrs. Lucy Sayler, awaiting in the Iroquois County Jail her trial at the next term of court on the charge of murder for which she was indicted following the shooting of her husband, the Crescent City banker, by Dr. Miller, has broken her long silence by giving out a remarkable statement indicating the line of defense. She was asked: "Did you know before this trouble happened that the people of Crescent City were talking about you and Dr. Miller?"

"I did not think of that. My husband did not object. Why should anyone else? I was not wronging 'By.' I was no more intimate with Dr. Miller at any time than I have been since I have been here. Mr. Sayler and the doctor were the best of friends, and both families were very intimate.

Admits She Wore Men's Clothes.

"Mr. Sayler knew the doctor and I went hunting together, and that I wore men's clothes. So did Mrs. Miller wear men's clothes and rubber boots on the occasions she went hunting. I never denied wearing men's clothes.

"I did not sneak around and meet Dr. Miller at night, and in secret, as anyone would do if they were intimate. My husband and Dr. Miller were such close friends that Mr. Sayler had a key to the doctor's office, and, I have no doubt, had a key to that office in his pocket the night this happened."

After telling of a visit to the ball game on the last day of her husband's life, with her father, brother and Dr. Miller, Mrs. Sayler continued:

"When we got home we prepared lunch. We talked of playing cards. I did not know that Mr. Sayler was at home, and the first I knew of it was when I heard him talking to the girls out under the trees.

Didn't Know He Was Angry.

"I had not suspected he was out of sorts. Father said he would ask "By" in to play, and did, and Mr. Sayler said he would not play with us. It came as a surprise, but I did not take him seriously then and father said we might play three-handed.

"Dr. Miller said he would not play unless 'By' did, and just then Mr. Sayler came in. When Mr. Sayler was mad he got white, and the first I knew he was going at Dr. Miller with the hatchet which he got from under the lounge. I was frightened and confused and ran across the street. I heard the shots then. They were not distinct and loud, but sort of choked. After a little I went back to the house. A man was on the porch, and I asked: 'Is anyone hurt?'

"The man was Dr. Miller and he said, 'By is dead.' I went into the house and found a light. Dr. Miller was holding his wrist when the light burned up and his hand was covered with blood. Blood was everywhere.

Made Coffee for Doctor.

"The coffee pot was on the stove and was not yet cold from lunch. Father was weak and faint and asked for a cup of coffee and I gave it to him. Dr. Miller drank some of the coffee also."

"You had no idea that Mr. Sayler was angry that day?"

"Not the slightest, and have no idea what he was mad about now. There had been nothing unusual going on that day. Nothing that had not been done for two years with Mr. Sayler's approval.

"I did not suspect anything until he said he would not play with us and his coming in was so soon after that I had no chance to think until he was in the room and got the hatchet.

"I know that was Mr. Sayler's weapon. I came home one time when some toughs had followed him home on the train. He had prepared to protect himself with a hatchet then.

"His coming in the way he did and getting the hatchet at once frightened me. He passed by me and went for the doctor. I saw no more of the fight after that, for I ran out and saw nor heard no more until the shots were fired. The whole thing was the greatest surprise of my life."

TETRAZZINI SEAT SALES FOR THE FIRST DAY TOTAL $5280

The second day's sale of seats for the Tetrazzini concert at the Coliseum next Monday night began Tuesday at 1005 Olive street. Monday's receipts, $5280, made one of the biggest day's ticket sales ever recorded in St. Louis. Registered letters containing money for seats were received from many points in Missouri and Illinois, and from towns and cities in Arkansas, Iowa, Kentucky and Indiana.

A dispatch to the Post-Dispatch from Cleveland, where Mme. Tetrazzini sang Monday night, states that she appeared before an enthusiastic and brilliantly fashionable audience which filled the Hippodrome there. She was in splendid voice and was recalled repeatedly. This was the opening of her Western concert tour.

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"AIDA," SPLENDIDLY PRODUCED, OPENS OPERA ENGAGEMENT

Henry Russell's Great Boston Organization Gives Majestically Beautiful Performance of Verdi's Spectacular Music-Drama at Olympic—Mme. Boninsegna in Title Role, Mme. Gay as Amneris, and Constantino as Radames, Finely Distinguish Themselves.

Three Great Stars of Last Night's Production of "Aida" at Olympic.



A SPLENDID group of grand opera stars and a great company that at a certain moment placed over two hundred of its members upon the Olympic stage last night presented Verdi's majestic "Aida" before one of the largest and most distinguished audiences ever assembled in a St. Louis playhouse.

Looking beyond the surpassing beauty and stateliness of this production, concerning which I am now to tell you, it seemed to me that I saw another imposing spectacle of close kinship by virtue of the fact that it may be a logical development of the opera week thus so brilliantly begun.

Alike in hope and confidence, I saw the coming of that good day when St. Louis, possessing something of a proprietary interest in the worthy Boston organization now so finely qualifying to such an end, shall possess as well an endowed opera house especially designed to be the congenial scene of that organization's annual St. Louis engagement, thus insuring permanent opera and the love of opera that springs from its intimate enjoyment.

It seemed to me not unlikely that St. Louis' great new Coliseum, with its vast auditorium and tremendous seating capacity, might be transformed into a home for grand opera that should delight 10,000 or more persons with its every performance—and I saw in fancy the impressive picture that would then be presented to our prideful view.

I dreamed thus of the Coliseum, behind which already is arrayed the city's pride in its possession, because it is a superbly capacious structure, capable of accommodating assemblages so great in numerical extent as to make profitable at popular prices the most costly productions of grand opera ever likely to be offered in this country. Surely, if its using be practicable, here is the logical St. Louis opera house of the near future, well nigh ready for magnificent employment—so inviting in this aspect, indeed, that even now it is announced as the scene of a Metropolitan Opera Company engagement next April.

Thus dreaming, my hopes ran high, I commend the dream to the earnest attention of all St. Louisans devoted to the best and truest interests of St. Louis.

"AIDA."

THE CAST.

Aida .....Celestina Boninsegna
Amneris .....Maria Gay
Una Sacerdotessa..Bettina Freeman.
Radames ..Florencio Constantino
Il Re .....Francis Archambault
Amonasro .....George Baklanoff
Ramfis .....Jose Mardones
Un Messaggiero..Ernesto Giaccone
Musical director, Arnaldo Conti.

IN the first scene of the fourth act of "Aida," which is the biggest dramatic moment of that finely dramatic tone-story of ancient Egypt and barbaric Ethiopia, a great new contralto of premier importance among the world's singers of opera came into being before the eyes of a St. Louis audience that filled the Olympic Theater to its utmost capacity.

The moment is that when Radames, disgraced and in the shadow of death because of his compliance in a plot to betray Egypt and fly to Ethiopia with the savage-born girl whom he loved to his undoing, is tempted by the Princess Amneris to betray his love instead and content himself with that which she, the daughter of an Egyptian king, offered him.

It is then, for the first time, that the opera's score and story alike offer to the Amneris of its cast the full opportunity for a revelation of the gifts of voice and dramatic inspiration that justify her presence as one of the great group of principals necessary to the satisfying presentation of this opera.

Already had Mme. Boninsegna as Aida, Constantino as Radames, Baklanoff as Amonasro, King of Ethiopia; Archambault as the King of Egypt, and Mardones as Ramfis, the High Priest, superbly qualified in their several degrees of excellence. It now remained for Mme. Maria Gay as Amneris to confirm the prestige with which she came to us from Europe's opera houses and from her more recent American triumphs in New York, Boston, Pittsburg and Chicago. The opportunity is peculiarly rich in its big possibilities—and it is proportionately crucial in the test which it places upon the interpreter of the Amneris role.

Mme. Gay emerged from it with every credential of eminent worthiness.

The splendidly dramatic Amneris recitative with which the scene opens was given with the utmost authority. Its phrasing illuminated the ever changing shade of the conflicting emotions which then move Amneris' soul. The grip of her all-consuming love for Radames, the poison of her jealous hatred of Aida, the evil joy of the revenge that has been placed within her reach, the horror that attaches, nevertheless, to the thought of the piteous death of Radames, all these interweaving aspects of her dreadful mood of that tremendous moment were sent across the footlights with the most convincing certainty. The growth of the woman who until that instant had been subordinated by the opera's story to the greater importance of at least two of her associates in the cast was a marvelous thing to contemplate. She rose supremely, and at the immediate demand of the drama, to the full height of Amneris as one of the most commanding figures in all opera.

Then, merging into the duo that follows the entrance of the doomed Radames, Mme. Gay revealed at its best the irresistible beauty of her velvety and passionate contralto, as she had revealed but a little time before the all-sufficient resources of her dramatic inspiration. She is a singer supremely equipped for the singing of Amneris and for that great role's physical embodiment. She looked, as Cleopatra might have looked, the royal daughter of Egypt, ivory-skinned, her dark eyes smoldering with sensual fire, her red mouth pampered, sinful and beautiful, her lovely body rounded and sleek and of feline grace in movement, her hands at one moment of almost babyish appeal to the man she loved, at another moment curving with the cruel hungering of a tigress' claws within reach of her quarry, a woman always filled with the evil of an animal love that turns in a flash to animal hatred of relentless temper. It was in this spirit that the compelling scene with Radames was played—and then came that vastly tragic period when Amneris, harking to the sacrificial summons and chant or the cruel priests of Egypt outside, knows that Radames is being called to his death, and, in poignant recitative and the tensest dramatic action, sends to her audience the full significance of this dreadful climax of absolute tragedy.

The scene-curtain fell upon this picture with the house in an awed hush of spellbound horror. The next moment the Olympic echoed and re-echoed with applause and cries of "bravo!" The Amneris of the night had triumphed—and Maria Gay took that place in the esteem of St. Louisans which, until this moment, had been held for 15 years by the memory-figure of Louise Homer, whose great Amneris of the Metropolitan company's best "Aida" production in St. Louis had stamped itself so almost indelibly upon our souls.

Placed second in importance because of this overwhelming [illegible] Gay as Amneris, the Aida of Mme. Boninsegna was nevertheless of a worthiness in keeping with the high standard of the night. Of magestic stature, a not inconsistent daughter of the race of giant Ethiops of whom history tells us, a suggestion additionally emphasized by the towering height of George Baklanoff as the evening's Amonasro, this singer new to St. Louis highly commended herself to a discriminating audience.

Trained, vocally and dramatically, on the great La Scala stage of Milan, Mme. Boninsegna brought to the title role of Verdi's tremendous opera the best conception of its significance in score and story. At certain moments almost servile, remembering her estate as the slave-girl of the Princess Amneris, there was, upon justifying occasion, the swift change to proud anger and to that royal indignation befitting one who also remembers that she, as well, is a Princess, the daughter of Ethiopia's king—a consistent, picturing admirably maintained.

The full dramatic possibilities of Mme. Boninsegna's voice, a bell-toned soprano of exquisite quality, were best revealed, as a matter of course, in the gripping scene with Radames, her lover, and Amonasro, her father, in the third act, where, both seductively and tempestuously, she wooes from the young Egyptian warrior his promise to desert his high post in command of his native country's armies and flee with her father and herself to their own barbaric land. Here Mme. Boninsegna undeniably met the strongest demand which this opera places upon her, both vocally and dramatically. Then, in the melodic loveliness of the opera's closing moments, the scene in the living tomb to which she and Radames descend, the Boninsegna voice was heard in an unexpected tenderness, a keen and poignant softness of emotional utterance, that fairly melted its hearers' hearts in their bosoms. Her success of the evening was great and finely deserved.

The Radames of Signor Constantino, alone of all last night's principals known in St. Louis, was admirably competent along the lines of greatness. More satisfying to lovers of the virile among the great tenors of opera than any singer since Jean de Reszke's day, this Spanish star of Henry Russell's discovering grows in artistic worth with the passing seasons. The quality in which Caruso's voice takes rank above his is that of tenderness and the more essentially lyric. The quality in which, to my thinking, Constantino as a tenor surpasses Caruso, is in that deeper and more compelling appeal, the fullest fruits of which are not possible save to those voices that have something of the baritone roundness and sonorous richness in their strain.

Yet, even with this discrimination, Constantino's singing of the "Celeste Aida"—a purely lyric number—was a lovely achievement last night, commanding instant and great applause, despite the deplorable fact that it was sung to an accompaniment of down-clanging theater-chairs as late arrivals entered the Olympic and ruthlessly marred its completest enjoyment by those who had been sufficiently considerate of others to arrive at the time set for the opera's beginning. Of majestic stage presence and bearing, Constantino is perhaps cast at his best as Radames, and, both in the dramatic employment of his great voice and in his utter surrender to the histrionic appeal of the character, this splendid tenor last night appeared at his best.

The Amonasro of George Baklanoff, the Russian baritone, was one of the big creations of the night. This singer's voice is of a deeply resonant quality, susceptible to the most amazing changes of emotional expression, and he employs it with a sureness of command that delights the soul of appreciative hearers. To the dramatic requirements of the role Baklanoff brought a temperamental adequacy and a finish of training that made it at all moments one of the night's most memorable figures. Francis Archambault as the King of Egypt, revealed a basso voice of entire satisfyingness and visualized the part with fitting dignity of mien. The least notable achievement of the night was the Ramfis of Jose Mardones, which was not quite worthy of its distinguished company.

Sig. Conti conducted with fine mastery and authenticity, and the great orchestra under his direction was a human instrument of ravishing tonal beauty. The chorus was excellently trained, and the stage production of this most stupendous of Verdi's operas was marked by a scenic magnificence such as St. Louis has never before known—at least, not within my recollection.

"Lakme" is tonight's opera, the story of which is given elsewhere on this page. RIPLEY D. SAUNDERS.

Story of Tonight's Opera.

THE story of "Lakme," the Leo Delibes opera to be presented by the Boston Opera Company at the Olympic tonight, with Lydia Lipkowska, the great Russian coloratura soprano, and Paul Bourrillon, the famous young French tenor, in its two leading roles, is of the most poignant emotional appeal and lends itself admirably to a scenic production of surpassing beauty.

The action of the opera takes place in India. Lakme, the lovely daughter of Nilakantha, a Brahmin priest, is seen at a sacred shrine in her garden by Geraldo, a young English army officer. Known as "The Daughter of the Gods," she is so divinely fair that Geraldo is infatuated with her at first sight. She loves him in return, revealing this truth at once. They are discovered by her father, the grim Brahmin priest, but Geraldo makes his escape. The penalty of his invasion of the sacred Hindu shrine is death.

Nilakantha, the priest, using Lakme as a decoy, obliges her to sing in disguise in the market place of the town, knowing that this will lead Geraldo to reveal his identity. The trick is successful, her singing of the exquisite "Bell Song" brings Geraldo to her side, there is a thrilling love scene in which she begs him to allow her to hide him from her father's vengeance, but he refuses and is discovered and stabbed by the priest, the act ending with Geraldo, thought to be fatally wounded, in Lakme's arms.

In the third act the scene is a forest into the depths of which Lakme has borne her wounded lover. They sing of their mutual devotion and propose to drink of the waters of a sacred spring which create undying love. But Lakme, returning from the spring, finds that Geraldo has been persuaded by a fellow officer, who followed him to his hiding place, to return to his regiment, which is marching to battle with the Hindu insurgents. Her heart breaking, she bites the leaf of the deadly datura flower just before Geraldo, relenting announces his determination never to leave her.

Nilakantha, the priest, dark and vengeful, enters at this moment. He would slay Geraldo, the hated English alien, but his dying daughter, declaring her life a sacrifice to save that of her lover, warns Nilakantha not to harm him, as he has tasted the waters of the sacred spring. The curtain falls as Lakme dies.

EXHUMATION LIES WITH CORONER IN VAUGHN MYSTERY

Grand Jury, Unable to Order Action, Contemplates Appeal to Official.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KIRKSVILLE, Mo., Jan. 25.—Balked in its hope for an exhumation of the body of Prof. John T. Vaughn on its own border or that of the Judge under whom it is working, the Adair County grand jury contemplates asking the Coroner of Monroe County to take up the body and permit a test for strychnine poisoning.

Discretionary power of the Monroe County Coroner is said to have been held out to the jury as its last hope by Circuit Judge Nat M. Shelton, who was requested to explain the law yesterday afternoon.

The Judge told the jury that there is no law under which he could issue an order to take up the body buried in Monroe County when he died in Adair County. He also explained there the jury itself could not order the body exhumed.

Chief of Police Koch of Quincy and Mrs. John R. Kirk, wife of the head of the State Normal School, and Prof. E. M. Violette, all of whom appeared yesterday, are believed to be the last witnesses that will be called by the jury in the Vaughn investigation. Chief Koch appeared twice.

WOMAN IS THE BETTER—BETTER HALF

Man only thinks he is the lord of creation. His in reality, is the puppet crown. The power behind the throne pulls the strings. Woman rules by wit, by art, by subtlety; but chief of her weapons are beauty of face and grace of line.

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How New York Dames Keep Young.

Recently a young New York Society woman received her monthly bill from a downtown beauty parlor. This particular bill amounted to Fifty-two dollars for the month, which was, perhaps, a little lower than the average monthly accounts rendered by this Shop. It contained such items as Turkish Baths, $2.00; Violet Water Rub, $.75; Facial Massage, $.75. The attendants at these exclusive "beauty parlors" frequently make as much as ten dollars a day in tips. Occasionally some "grande-dame" in sables extracts a perfumed ten-dollar piece from her gold bag and tosses it to Nancy with an air of lofty grace. One of these attendants confided to a friend in an unguarded moment that among the many lotions and beauty restorers used in such establishments, a preparation for restoring gray hair was most in demand. It is usually charged on the bill at five dollars a bottle, under a fancy name, but in reality is the same formula as HAY'S HAIR HEALTH, which retails at all druggists for 50 cents and a dollar per bottle, and is manufactured by PHILO HAY SPECIALTIES CO., Newark, N. J., U. S. A., HAY'S HAIR HEALTH has many imitators, but those who have used different preparations agree that HAY'S HAIR HEALTH is the most effective and safest.

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THE CENSORSHIP BILL.

It will be the general hope that publication of the salient provisions of the ordinance which contemplates the appointment of a "theatrical commissioner" at $3000 a year will satisfy the puritanical instincts of Messrs. Leahy, Shields, Robinson, McKittrick, Kane and their supporters. They have discharged their duty and are on even terms with their several consciences.

The public has the advantage of knowing how far the purists would go in their advocacy of purification by suppression and there is now a perfect understanding of the situation. A step farther is as unnecessary as unlikely. The situation would have to be one from which "The Servant in the House," 'A Man's World," "The Man Next Door" and others would have to be eliminated before we could view any proposition for even temporary censorship with equanimity; it would necessarily be at the depths before we could look askance at a scheme to make the amusement law and the whims of an individual coincident.

The affair is now happily ended and the police have still the power to act in emergencies. The profit consists in the knowledge that there are among us some so cocksure of the rectitude of their own views and the righteousness of their own judgment that they would purify us all by forcing us to hide our heads in the sand if anyone so much as whispered "fig leaf."

Nevertheless at this stage of the proceedings we find more significance in the fact that Judge Landis is concerned with the proceedings against the Beef Trust than that there are 23 men on the jury.

A STATELIER ST. LOUIS.

All organizations in St. Louis having any public purpose or function should be able to unite in support of the proposed commission to devise a comprehensive plan for the future growth, development and improvement of the city. It matters not what is the special aim of each different organization. Whether it be to augment business, increase the population, clean the slums, provide playgrounds, beautify the residence districts or establish charities; the ends of one and all will be served by the adoption of a definite plan of action.

Most of our people must be fairly familiar with the campaigns recently made for a grander Washington, a finer Cleveland and a more beautiful Boston. Each of these movements had in its time a national repute. Several other cities gained also a wide and favorable advertising by adopting similar plans of improvement. Why should we not follow where others have so successfully marched? Why should we not go further than any and take the lead in our turn? Let us have a statelier St. Louis in all that the word implies; bigger, grander, cleaner, more beautiful and better.

Now comes a genial trust magnate who says the cause of the increased cost of living is due neither to trusts nor to labor unions, neither to Republicans nor to Democrats, nor to any man or set of men whatever; but wholly and solely to the ladies—God bless 'em.

MEAT STRIKE BENEFICIARIES.

Apparently the wolf has chosen the doorstep of the retail meat dealers as his permanent abiding place. If the Rev. Dr. Meeker should display the temerity to accept the challenge to run a meat shop for a week he will be in luck only if his salary for preaching is not docked. The meat dealers so testify. They make next to nothing at all, and if it wasn't for the green grocery business they would be mendicants in search of charitable relief.

Thus we gain substantive evidence of the value of the meat strike. Economically it is a foolish movement. Politically it is a jest. Industrially it is a menace. It savors of the blindness as well as the unreason of mob unanimity. But if it will prevent the butchers from continuing a losing business good will mingle with the bad. A public quick to respond to demonstrations of altruism will take the retail meat dealers to its bosom and save them from impending bankruptcy. The dealers themselves should pray for the extension and continuation of the strike. It is plainly their commercial salvation.

It seems the Republican bosses are trying to work census enumerators as parts of the machine. If they can have their way, neither insurgents nor Democrats will count this year.

The thing that stalls the stalwarts just now is the difficulty of deciding whether Taft or the Senate is doing the insurgent act.

Little by little the Republicans are finding out that it is very hard to make a machine work well and stand pat at the same time.

QUESTIONS FOR MR. WHITELAW.

Mr. Robert H. Whitelaw, former vice-chairman of the Municipal Terminal Commission, in a letter to Mayor Kreismann undertakes to inform the Mayor and the citizens of St. Louis on the subject of the arbitrary. Mr. Whitelaw emphasizes the information already supplied by Mr. McChesney that there is a differential between Jersey City and New York in freight shipments within 81 miles of New York. He also submits the St. Louis and East St. Louis coal rates with the opinion that they are reasonable. He explains the difficulties encountered by the Commission in obtaining arbitrary concessions in freight and passenger traffic outside of the 100-mile zone. The consent of all the railroads involved had to be obtained and rates had to be readjusted for all the territory affected.

Granting the difficulties, yet they were overcome. It was not impossible to eliminate the arbitrary and readjust rates over a vast territory which required action by many railroads outside of St. Louis. If the arbitrary affecting all rates beyond 100 miles and many railroads could be abolished, how much easier it would be to abolish an arbitrary affecting only St. Louis railroads and 100 miles of territory.

We would like to ask Mr. Whitelaw, who is now a member of the Board of Freeholders engaged in framing a charter for the city, a few questions:

Does he think the bridge arbitrary just and proper?

As vice-chairman of the Municipal Terminal Commission, he signed a report which condemned the arbitrary as unnatural, unusual, unjust and injurious. Has Mr. Whitelaw changed his mind?

Does he think the bridge arbitrary a good thing for St. Louis?

As a member of the Municipal Terminal Commission, he labored to abolish it and hailed the abolition of a part of it as a great gain for St. Louis. He said the arbitrary had cost the city $40,000,000, and that its partial abolition saved the merchants not less than $2,000,000 annually. He signed a report containing the following sentences:

"Admitting, what is doubtless true, that the plan of the terminals as built, with a reasonable promptness in transfer from East St. Louis, might be made equal to any in the United States, nevertheless, the present condition is repellant to newcomers, and has become notorious throughout the United States as a condition adverse to the prosperity of St. Louis.

"The statement that the city in Illinois has certain transportation advantages which we have not, and has practically all of our transportation advantages without expense to them, is unanswerable. These are the generally admitted facts."

Has Mr. Whitelaw changed his mind on these points?

Does he think the railroads should be permitted to levy an arbitrary charge for an indefinite period? As a member of the Commission he signed a report containing the following:

"In all our conferences with the railroads we have consistently maintained that the only true and lasting solution of the rate problem was the total abolition of the charges for the transfer of freight across the river, commonly called the arbitrary, and we still think so.

"Your Commission took the position, that while maintaining as a fixed principle that ultimate abolition of all charges now known as the bridge arbitrary was something which this city might ultimately demand, we should, nevertheless, accept this proposition of the railroads as a solution of present difficulties."

If Mr. Whitelaw has not changed his mind on this point, that the only true and lasting solution of the rate problem is the abolition of the arbitrary, will he kindly tell the Mayor and citizens when it should be abolished? When ought we to enjoy the true and lasting solution of the arbitrary problem?

Will Mr. Whitelaw answer this question:

Would there be a bridge arbitrary if the railroads entering St. Louis had separate bridges and terminals? If the railroads would charge no arbitrary for their own separate bridge and terminal service, why should an arbitrary be charged for the service of bridges and terminals owned and operated by all the railroads in common? Will Mr. Whitelaw justify it?

Granting that a differential is charged on local freight between Jersey City and New York, does that justify bridge tolls in St. Louis? Did Mr. Whitelaw cite the New York charges to prove that the St. Louis arbitrary is right or merely to show that New York as well as St. Louis suffers injustice? Does he believe that two wrongs make a right?

The price of pork has dropped so far that it will probably come into view with Halley's Comet.

DIMINISHING FOREIGN TRADE.

In round terms our exports of wheat, flour, bacon, lard, ham, fresh beef and cattle decreased $89,000,000 during the calendar year 1909. Exports of raw cotton increased $23,000,000 in value, but decreased 431,000,000 pounds in quantity. The figures are official from the Statistical Bureau of the Department of Commerce and Labor.

The influence of the new tariff law on foreign trade has hardly been felt yet. Prospects of retaliatory action by Germany, France and Canada, our second, third and fourth best customers, are becoming alarming. Last year we were $300,000,000 short of our foreign exchange requirements. The balance of trade which saves us from being a debtor nation, was the smallest since 1897.

Even more important than the question of high prices at home is that of diminishing trade abroad. Are we to become the commercial hermit of the nations?

Lady Constance, the barefoot dancer, has been advised never to appear before King Edward again. To the ingenuity of press agents there are no bounds.

Likely as not the express companies will tack on an extra charge when the decision of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission is delivered.

Joe Cannon will neither saw wood nor say nothing, nor go way back, nor sit down, but he can always be counted on to make a noise that sounds like profanity on the slightest provocation.

By all means let us have a well devised plan for future municipal growth and improvement. Even if we should not manage to live up to it, we could at least live toward it.

If the Kansas jails and poorhouses are empty, as Gov. Stubbs says, the several police departments there are in need of an investigation.

Now comes a preacher to testify that "dancing is hugging set to music." Oh, these preachers!

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Neglected Tuberculosis Sufferers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The "turn-down" of the tuberculosis bills by the Council is deplorable. Why this delay in taking care of these poor, sick people, many of whom, through no fault of their own, are at the very portals of death and many actually die neglected because their numbers are too great, there being at the present time no hospital, public or private, able to cope with the demand for admittance. Shame, shame to a city of this standing to permit the "lack of funds" to retard such a vital necessity as an institution for these unfortunate consumptives. Yet that comparatively new and magnificent Quarantine Hospital with all its comforts, to say nothing of conveniences which would prove a godsend to these unfortunates, standing idle, one might say, as a beautiful monument to the men who conceived it. The cost of maintaining the Quarantine with its 200 beds with "no" patients to occupy them certainly bears investigation by the taxpayers of St. Louis. It is absolutely necessary that a ward or even two wards, in the City Hospital be kept for prospective smallpox cases, but this ruthless extravagance of the city's money is absolutely unnecessary.

Science has almost eliminated smallpox and where a decade or two ago little was known for its prevention, today every first-class city holds it in check. Were the ravages of consumption one-third the actual figures compiled by the Municipal Commission on Tuberculosis (by the way an institution of the city's very own, to which it appropriated $25,000 to "merely" gather information on the subject), it would be enormous enough for even the simplest-minded to take cognizance of. My interest in this tuberculosis campaign came about through the literature distributed by the Municipal Commission on Tuberculosis, whose members are certainly doing a splendid work to educate the people in the prevention of the disease.

Take down the sign from the Quarantine door which, figuratively speaking, reads, "Wanted, smallpox patients!"

CONSTANT READER.

Use That Eight-Foot Channel.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Let me have the privilege of your column for the people to differ from you in the statement in your editorial that "six and eight foot channels will not carry boats big enough to compete with freight cars." Let's see: The average freight car is 40,000 pounds, or 20 tons; a boat carrying 2,000,000 pounds, equal to 1000 tons or 50 freight car loads, can be built to float on eight feet; not only this, the same vessel, as was conclusively shown in the Magazine Section of the Post-Dispatch of Sunday, 15th inst., can go down to and across the gulf, up the rivers of South America, or elsewhere and without transfer anywhere, deliver the 1000-ton cargo. With 12 feet available here to the sea, three-fourths of the year, the same type of vessel can carry 2500 tons, equal to 125 car loads, with the same results. The comparative cost is too obvious to any intelligent person to need explanation. Is it possible for railroad or any other system of transportation to compete with this?

J. T. CAHILL.

Must the "Middleman" Starve?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I would like to express my opinion about this high-priced meat which seems to be getting serious in the cities. I do not think there is such a shortage of meat, neither should it be as high as it is. I think the fault lies with the middlemen. One would think from reading the papers that the farmers were making worlds of money, but considering his high-priced feed, he is not getting too much for his butcher stuff. The farmers are organizing, not to raise the prices on the city people, but to cut out the middlemen. We farmers raise a butcher heifer and sell it for $3.50 or $4 a hundred. If it weighs 700 pounds we get $25 or $28, seldom over $25. It will dress close to 400 pounds, which we could sell at 7 cents per pound and still have the hide, worth about $5. Now the trouble is that the middlemen not only make the hide, but they sell the beef at double the price they should sell it at. The farmer is not the gainer, but the middleman or the Beef Trust. They make as much money in handling a beef as the farmer gets for it.

The city people should deal direct with the farmer—that would be the best way to do away with the Beef Trust, as there is plenty of meat for us all.

C. H. T., a farmer.

Some Nickelodeons Need Censor.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

While the ministers are busy denouncing the stage, the flesh and the devil, the nickelodeons go merrily and tranquilly on. The nickelodeons are the vital menace to the morals of the people, for few of us can afford to see "The Blue Mouse," or spring dances. Unlike Rome, nickelodeons can be built in a day. In my immediate neighborhood there are five such. Small boys will beg or steal to get the price to see their favorite brand of robber cutthroat. I have in mind two boys who have been in the Boonville Reformatory; they never miss an evening. We are all human, we like to be amused not disgusted. In every performance there is some offensive point; there is, however, an element that enjoys it, considering the coarse applause. But then, you see, the management must try to please all. We who go for pure, wholesome fun in it must stay away or be affronted by this vulgar element—a risque song illustrated, or some coarse jests.

I am not speaking from what I have heard. It is from experience, and I suggest that when that stage censorship is established, why can't the nickelodeons be considered? This will all be done when the free bridge is built.

MRS. MAE E. MOSLEY.

Saccharin Is a Substitute for Sugar.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In answer to the question if saccharin is a good substitute for sugar, I wish to state that it is a perfect substitute, which has no bad effect upon the human system whatsoever. The only difference between saccharin and sugar in regard to this is that the former is not "nourishing" at all, while the latter has also a certain "nourishing" effect. But this circumstance would never have hindered saccharin from superseding sugar in Europe about thirty years ago, had not the governments there taken measures to protect the endangered sugar industry by prohibiting the manufacturing of saccharin and laying at the same time an enormous duty on it. They considered the destruction of the widespread sugar industry as the greater evil, and suppressed saccharin, which threatened to become a cheaper substitute for sugar.

Now, as in this country, the Sugar Trust has become a public calamity, it would be the best to take up saccharin as a welcome substitute for sugar. It is really 300—500 times sweeter than sugar; that means you need to take for every spoonful of sugar a few granules of saccharin only. Its manufacturing is not expensive and is simple. And even if you consider that it is not "nourishing" at all, it would prove its great saving effect by bringing to a standstill the whole sugar trade in a short time.

CHEMIST.

THERE'S A REASON.



CANADA'S POSTAL SURPLUS.

From the New York World.

Canada is a country of small population and great distances. For the fiscal year ending March 31, 1909, the mail-carrying mileage of the Dominion increased 1,812,073 miles. The first-class matter grew in volume over 4 per cent. The expenditure, owing to expansion of service, increased $586,456.66, as compared with the previous year. In August, 1908, the drop-letter rate for cities having a carrier service was reduced from 2 cents per ounce to 1 cent. The second-class rate of ½ cent per pound for regular weekly and monthly publications which required to be transmitted more than 300 miles was abolished, together with the zone restriction, and they are now dispatched to any part of Canada for ¼ of a cent a pound, or one-fourth the United States rate, while the free area for publications has been extended from a radius of 20 miles to 40. It is surely as far from Montreal, Canada, to Vancouver or the Klondike as it is from New York to San Francisco or Seattle.

The Canadian Postoffice surplus for the year was $809,287.53.

FORGOTTEN, BUT UNREPEALED.

From the Boston Transcript.

Because a case now in hearing in a Massachusetts court involves an interpretation of a law passed in 1698, we may expect the usual amount of surprise that a statute retains vitality after 200 years. There is among laymen an impression that laws become obsolete by changing social and political conditions, but every once in a while a forgotten statute comes up to remind the public that the only way to repeal is to repeal. That we are affected in our daily lives by very old laws is nothing new. Habeas corpus, as a statute, dates back from 1679, and what was then enacted was the formulation of a principle long familiar in the old common law. Our statute of treason is based on the law of Edward III, according to learned legists, a Plantagenet King who has been dead more than five centuries, and Magna Charta, which is the foundation of the Anglo-Saxon political structure, is nearing its seven hundredth anniversary. Verily there is no past that ceases.

LIGHT IN BLINDED EYES.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

When Senator Gore addresses his conversation to you he turns his sightless eyes upon you in a way that is not uncanny, but gives you the impression that he sees you and catches your expression. The effect is such as to rob you of the natural pity one feels for the blind, though it quickens sympathy and establishes a closer understanding. In amazing America there are few things more astounding to me than the rise of this man, from early blindness, to such a high position as Gore fills in his State and country.

SLIGHT DIFFERENCES.

From the Houston (Tex.) Post.

Contemporaries that declare we are in disagreement with Mr. Bryan do us an injustice. Excepting free raw materials, prohibition, government ownership of railroads, the initiative and referendum, Federal charters for corporations, government guaranty of bank deposits, Federal ownership of telegraph, government payment of campaign expenses and several other things of more or less importance, we are in entire agreement with Mr. Bryan.

JUST A MINUTE.

Written for the Post-Dispatch by Clark McAdams.



SOCRATES ON CATCHING THE TRAIN ROBBERS.

SOCRATES: Honest, now, Glaucon, do you hope we catch these train robbers?

GLAUCON: What a question. Of course I do.

SOCRATES: Do you, Polemarchus?

POLEMARCHUS: Certainly.

SOCRATES: And you, Thrasymachus?

THRASYMACHUS: I hope I do.

SOCRATES: You are not sure of it, then?

THRASYMACHUS: Why, er—well, to be frank, I am not—no.

SOCRATES: I don't either. The truth of the matter is that we all would be very sorry to hear that they have been caught.

THRASYMACHUS: I don't mind admitting that I feel that way about it.

SOCRATES: You are a brave man, Thrasymachus. We all have a good deal of mock virtue about us, haven't we?

THRASYMACHUS: Yes.

SOCRATES: We go around saying we hope they are caught, and all the time we are secretly hoping they are not caught.

THRASYMACHUS: Exactly.

SOCRATES: But it wouldn't do to let anyone know that we feel that way about it.

THRASYMACHUS: Goodness, no!

SOCRATES: Which shows what hypocrites we are.

THRASYMACHUS: True.

SOCRATES: Come now, Glaucon.

GLAUCON: Will you promise not to say anything about it?

SOCRATES: Of course.

GLAUCON: Then I also hope they will not be caught.

POLEMARCHUS: And me, too, if it is just among ourselves.

SOCRATES: Good! Now let us look in some other place where there isn't any possibility of finding them.

POLITICS.



Give Up—What Do You Make of It?

The third number of the lecture course will be given next Tuesday evening, Jan. 18, at the hall. The attraction is one of the strongest thus far given. L. W. Ford, contortionist of repute. Mr. Ford has the faculty of presenting pungent truths in a way that is pleasing and inspiring. Unlike most contortionists on the lecture platform, he is a good talker and always sure to please. He has a wide range of subjects from pathetic to humorous, each presenting its lesson of helpfulness.—Grundy (Ia.) Republican.

PAEAN.

The gladdest words
Of tongue or pen
Are Landis is
The judge again.

The man who sprung
The record fine
Has got the Beef Trust
On his line.

And whether caught
Or lost anon,
It will, you bet,
Know it was on.

Awful Blame.

From the New York Herald.

Boston paper asked well-known women: "What would you do if you were Mayor?" It is estimated that the replies have set back equal suffrage about two centuries.

NOTES AND QUERIES.

Answers to Questions From Readers of the Post-Dispatch.

Write but one question. No bets decided. Business addresses not given. Legal questions must be simple. Address "Answers," Post-Dispatch, using postal cards when convenient.

KATE.—Call club Mutual.

TEDDY.—July 21, '78, Sunday.

A. B. Z.—Try writing Secretary of State, Harrisburg, Pa.

A. M. G.—For ink stains on woolen, apply turpentine freely.

E. M.—Missouri has no pension for disabled Confederate soldiers.

JANUARY.—Children who throw water on a policeman have defective parents.

FLOSSIE.—Mortgage given by husband, on house, is worthless without wife's signature.

MARGARET.—Police will keep parents from killing the boy who married in Tennessee.

COON.—Three longest streets in St. Louis: Broadway, 15.3 miles; Grand avenue, 12; King's highway, 9.

M. A. L.—It is not proper for a girl 15 years old to go to theater and supper with men without a chaperon.

IGNORANT.—See H. E. Baker, Merchants-Laclede Building, Fourth and Olive, for place as census enumerator.

A.—The last time the public heard of Costello he was in the observation ward at the City Hospital. We do not know where he is now.

SAFWAY.—A baby a year old will readily take to the bottle. Apply camphor liniment freely to breast twice daily. Firmly binding is an aid.

POOR BOY.—Stop every bad habit at once, and get persistently busy with something useful. Whenever an evil thought butts in, shut it out immediately.

X. X. L.—As you received the whisky and wine knowing it not to belong to you, you may be held responsible for it, notwithstanding that you gave it away.

E.—As baby's hair begins to grow thicker and longer you may encourage it to curl by fluffing it with the fingers or a very soft brush. Never roll it on papers or curlers. Do not use any sort of cosmetics.

SHAKER.—"Excuse my glove" belonged to a day when one quick motion of the hand stripped off the glove. It is unnecessary when the handshake must be suspended during the unbuttoning or unclasping of a tight glove.

F. E. F.—Cotton rope portieres, unless very highly colored, should launder easily, or the colors can be set with a little alum in the water, and then they will not fade; hang in the wind, not the sun, and pull them into shape while drying.

F. S.—Rudyard Kipling, born in Bombay, India, Dec. 30, 1865; son of J. Lockwood Kipling and Alice McDonald Kipling; married Caroline Starr Balestier; has a son and a daughter. Address, Bateman's, Burwash, Sussex, England.

B. H.—Unless rent is paid agent can sue for it and also possession of premises any time after demand for same is made. As to the "For Rent" sign he contemplates sticking on the window, you can remove it, as such right is not in order until he gains actual possession of the premises.

MABEL.—Massage or toilet cream: Lanolin, 10 parts; oil of sweet almond, 10 parts; precipitated sulphur, 10 parts; zinc oxide, 5 parts; extract of violet, 1 part. Mix. This cream is said to be readily absorbed by the skin, besides being an efficacious remedy against blackheads, comedones, pimples, etc.

W. D. R.—Brown peanut candy: Boil together a cup each of molasses and brown sugar, tablespoon vinegar and two tablespoons butter. When a little dropped in cold water is brittle, add cup blanched peanuts. Remove at once from fire and add teaspoon baking soda. Beat hard, and pour into buttered tins.

DEPOSITOR.—National banks have to conform to national laws respecting percentage of reserves, character and size of loans, and many other matters. The Government does not guarantee individual deposits. The state government regulates state banks, the national Government having nothing to do with them.

WEST END.—The particular goods you purchased cannot be taken from you if in your possession. Balance due thereon must be sued for and creditor obtaining judgment can proceed to have it enforced and so much of your general stock sold to satisfy the same, unless stock is of less value than your exemptions, if the head of a family.

B. B. B.—Liquors to Indians and intoxicated persons: Section 2331. If any person shall give, sell or dispose of any spirituous or intoxicating liquors to any Indian within this State, or to any person who is intoxicated, or shall furnish to, or procure for, any habitual drunkard any intoxicating liquors, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

REX.—You cannot redeem foreclosed real estate five years after sale. If at such sale holder of deed of trust buys it in and owner within a reasonable time gives security to satisfaction of Circuit Court for interest to accrue after sale, damage that may be occasioned by waste, payment of indebtedness, costs, etc., the same is subject to redemption within one year.

PATRONS.—Mother Shipton was Ursula Southiel Shipton, an English prophetess (1488-1560), who predicted Wolsey's death and that of Lord Percy. Henry VIII is said to have consulted her, and it is also said she predicted the chief events of his reign. Much that is apocryphal is alleged of her. The lines "Mother Shipton's Prophecy," is a confessed hoax and is not worth any printed space. It was written by Charles Hindley of Brighton, England.

DEWDROP.—For cheeks see Answers Jan. 4. For puffiness under the eyes, the very gentlest massage with the finger tips may be of help, but you should also be careful about using the eyes in a bad light or losing sleep. Take a few drops of pure cod liver oil on the finger tips and massage very lightly, rubbing from the nose outwards; do this every night. Fatigue causes this "puffy" appearance quicker than any other thing, unless there is some disease.

WORKING GIRL.—We cannot say positively that you are not liable for rent, still, the circumstances are such as to resist any effort on part of executor in deducting same from your legacy. Besides, he would have no authority to collect the rents unless the will gives him such power or the same is inferred therein, or power to do so was given by order of court as real estate control passes immediately to heirs (unless power is conferred as aforesaid), the executor having control only over the personal property. The case must be decided on its merits.

ROUGE.—Harmless rouge: Put an eighth of an ounce of pure carmine in an ounce of strong ammonia, and let it stand three days, shaking several times; to this add half a pint orange flower water and six drops oil of neroli; allow the whole to stand, well corked, for at least ten days, and it will be well colored. In applying use a tiny velvet sponge, and be sure to rub high up on the cheek bones, the tips of the ears and the chin; not only directly upon the cheeks; it is this artistic method of using rouge that gives the natural effect. As this is a purely vegetable rouge, it will not injure the skin more than that the continued use of carmine always leaves a yellow blotch if too deeply applied.

Hints for Meat Strikers

Dishes Which Are Nourishing and Palatable and Require No Payment of Tribute to the Packers' Trust.

(No. 4.)

CURRIED CROQUETTES.

Put three-quarters of a cup of milk in a saucepan with a lump of butter and let it come to a boil. Stir in one large cup and a half of rice that has been boiled 20 minutes. Add a heaping teaspoonful of curry powder, a few drops of onion juice and salt to taste. When it boils add a beaten egg, stir a minute and remove from the fire. Let it cool, then form into cylinders and fry.

WALNUT SALAD.

Three cupfuls of fresh, crisp celery cut fine and two cups full of whole walnut kernels. Put the walnuts in a saucepan with small onions sliced, a bay leaf, a clove and a pod of red pepper. Cover with boiling water. Cook ten or fifteen minutes. Remove from fire, drain and throw the nuts into cold water. Remove the skins and let them get cold. Chill them in the refrigerator. Mix them with the celery, add mayonnaise or cream dressing. Garnish with celery leaves.

Love Songs of a Bachelor

Written for the Post-Dispatch

BY HELEN ROWLAND.

THE BACHELORAIYAT.

INDEED, 'tis better to have loved and lost—
Taken the kiss, and fled at any cost—
Than to have loved and married, and for aye,
Thereafter, by a woman to be bossed.

This is the argument that I submit.
Refute it, if you can, with all your wit!
Yet, every man will find that "luck in love"
Consists in safely getting OUT of it!

A moment's halt—a little word or two—
And you have done what you can ne'er undo!
Promised to pay a woman's bills for life
ANCHORED yourself!—and that's the end of you!

Look to the married men! Alas! their gains
Are neither here nor there, for all their pains
For wedding bells are rung, and loudly rung,
To drown the clanking of the wedding CHAINS!

Ah! friend, could you and I somehow conspire
To grasp the matrimonial scheme entire,
Would we not shatter it to bits—and then
Make of its laws a rousing old bonfire?

Tush! When I die let this be quite enough!
Far from the madding girls dig me a trough,
And on my tombstone write: "Here lies a chap
Who KNEW when he was lucky and well off"

54-40 OR FIGHT

A Novel of

AMERICAN SPIRIT

By EMERSON HOUGH

SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

The story is told by Nicholas Trist, secretary to John C. Calhoun, the great pro-slavery statesman. Calhoun, accepting the post of Secretary of State in Tyler's cabinet, announces that the closing years of his life will be devoted to annexing Texas and Oregon. He decides to enlist the diplomatic aid of Baroness de Ritz, who is known to have great influence with Sir Richard Pakenham, the British Minister to the United States. Through her he hopes to learn whether England will oppose annexation of the Western states. He sends Trist to the Baroness and she has a midnight conference with Calhoun. On the day Trist is to marry Elisabeth Churchill he receives orders to go to Canada on state business. Through a drunken blunder of Jack Dandridge, the Baroness' slipper is taken to Elisabeth as Trist's wedding gift. She refuses to marry him. He goes to Canada and there finds the Baroness in conference with British diplomats. She invites him to her Montreal home and she goes there at her request, though puzzled by remains as her guest and guardian. Trist tries to obtain from her what she knows about England's designs on Texas and Oregon. She hints that she will tell him if he will tell her whether he and Elisabeth were married. He refuses and she angrily dismisses him.

CHAPTER XVII.

A Hunter of Butterflies.

I love men, not because they are men, but because they are not women.—Queen Christina.

THERE was at that time in Montreal a sort of news room and public exchange, which made a place of general meeting. It was supplied with newspapers and the like, and kept up by subscriptions of the town merchants—a spacious room made of the old Methodist chapel on St. Joseph street. I knew this for a place of town gossip, and hoped I might hit upon something to aid me in my errand, which was no more than begun, it seemed. Entering the place shortly before noon, I made pretense of reading, all the while with an eye and an ear out for anything that might happen.

As I stared in pretense at the page before me, I fumbled idly in a pocket, with unthinking hand, and brought out to place before me on the table, an object of which at first I was unconscious—the little Indian blanket clasp. As it lay before me I felt seized of a sudden hatred for it, and let fall on it a heavy hand. As I did so I heard a voice at my ear.

"Mein Gott, man, do not! You break it, surely."

I started at this. I had not heard anyone approach. I discovered now that the speaker had taken a seat near me at the table, and could not fail to see this object which lay before me.

"I beg pardon," he said in a broken speech which showed his foreign birth; "but it iss so beautiful; to break it iss wrong."

Something in his appearance and speech fixed my attention. He was a tall, bent man, perhaps 60 years of age, of gray hair and beard, with the glasses and the unmistakable air of the student. His stooped shoulders, his weakened eye, his thin, blue-veined hand, the iron-gray hair standing like a ruff above his forehead, marked him not as one acquainted with a wild life, but better fitted for other days and scenes.

I pushed the trinket along the table towards him.

"'Tis of little value," I said, "and is always in the way when I would find anything in my pocket."

"But once someone hass made it! once it hass had value. Tell me where you get it."

"North of the Platte, in our western territories," I said. "I once traded in that country."

"You are American?"

"Yes."

"So," he said thoughtfully. "So. A great country, a very great country. Me, I also live in it."

"Indeed?" I said. "In what part?"

"It iss five years since I cross the Rockies."

"You have crossed the Rockies? I envy you."

"You meesunderstand me. I live west of them for five years. I am now come east."

"You have been at Fort Vancouver?"

He nodded. "Also to Fort Colville, far north; also to what they call California, far south; and again to what they may yet call Fort Victoria. I haf seen many posts of the Hudson Bay Co."

I was afraid my eyes showed my interest; but he went on.

"I haf been in the Columbia country, and in the Willamette country, where most of your Americans are settled. I know somewhat of California. Mr. Howard of the Hudson Bay Co. knows also of this country of California. He said to those English gentlemens at our meeting last night that England should haf something to offset California on the west coast; because, though Mexico claims California, the Yankees really rule there, and will rule there yet more. He iss right; but they laughed at him."

"Oh, I think little will come of all this talk," I said carelessly. "It is very far, out to Oregon." Yet all the time my heart was leaping. So he had been there, at that very meeting of which I could learn nothing!

"You know not what you say. A thousand men came into Oregon last year. It iss like one of the great migrations of the peoples of Asia, of Europe. I say to you, it iss a great epoch. There iss a folk-movement such as we haf not seen since the days of the Huns, the Goths, the Vandals, since the Cimri movement. It iss an epoch, my friend! It iss fate that iss in it."

"So, then, it is a great country?" I asked.

"It iss so great, these traders do not wish it known. They wish only that it may be savage; also that their posts and their harems may be undisturbed. That iss what they wish. These Scots go wild again, in the wilderness. They trade and they travel, but it iss not homes they build. Sir George Simpson wants steel traps and not plows west of the Rockies. That iss all!"

"They do not speak so of Dr. McLaughlin," I began tentatively.

"My friend, a great man, McLaughlin, believe me! But he iss not McKay; he iss not Simpson; he iss not Behrens; he iss not Colville; he is not Douglas. And I say to you, as I learned last night—you see, they asked me also to tell what I knew of Oregon—I say to you that last night McLaughlin was deposed. He iss in charge no more—so soon as they can get word to him, he loses his place at Vancouver."

"After a lifetime in the service!" I commented.

"Yess, after a lifetime; and McLaughlin had brain and heart, too. If England would listen to him, she would learn sometings. He plants, he plows, he hass gardens and mills and houses and herds. Yess, if they let McLaughlin alone, they would haf a civilization on the Columbia, and not a fur-trading post. Then they could oppose your civilization there. That iss what he preaches. Simpson preaches otherwise. Simpson loses Oregon to England, it may be."

"Then you think there is a chance of trouble between our country and England, out there?"

He smiled. "It iss not a chance, but a certainty," he said. "It wass only agreed last night. England will march this summer seven hundred men up the Peace River. In the fall they will be across the Rockies. So! They can take boats easily down the streams to Oregon. You ask if there will be troubles. I tell you, yess."

"What time can England make with her brigades, westboun. my friend?" I asked him casually. He answered with gratifying scientific precision.

"From Edmonton to Fort Colville, west of the Rockies, it hass been done in six weeks and five days, by Sir George himself. From Fort Colville down it is easy by boats. It takes the voyageur three months to cross, or four months. It would take troops twice that long, or more. For you in the States, you can go faster. And ah! my friend, it is worth the race, that Oregon. Believe me, it iss full of bugs—of new bugs; 12 species I haf discovered and named. It iss sometings of honor, iss it not?"

"What you say interests me very much, sir," I said. "I am only an American trader, knocking around to see the world a little bit. You seem to have been engaged in some scientific pursuit in that country."

"Yess," he said. "Mein own government and mein own university, they send me to this country to do what hass not been done. I am insectologer. Shall I show you my bugs of Oregon? You shall see them, yess? Come with me to my hotel. You shall see many bugs, such as science hass not yet known."

I was willing enough to go with him; and true to his word he did show me such quantities of carefully prepared and classified insects as I had not dreamed our own country offered.

"Twelve new species!" he said, with pride. "Mein own country will gif me honor for this. Five years I spend. Now I go back home.

"I shall not tell you what nickname they gif me in Oregon," he added smiling; "but my real name is Wolfram von Rittenhofen. Berlin, it wass last my home. Tell me, you go soon to Oregon?"

"That is very possible," I answered; and this time at least I spoke the truth. "We are bound in opposite directions, but if you are sailing for Europe this spring, you would save time and gain comfort by starting from New York. It would give us great pleasure if we could welcome so distinguished a scientist in Washington."

"No, I am not yet distinguished. Only shall I be distinguished when I haf shown my 12 new species to mein own university."

"But it would give me pleasure also to show you Washington. You should see also the government of those backwoodsmen who are crowding out to Oregon. Would you not like to travel with me in America so far as that?"

He shook his head doubtfully. "Perhaps I make mistake to come by the St. Lawrence? It would be shorter to go by New York? Well, I haf no hurry. I think it over, yess."

"But tell me, where did you get that leetle thing?" he asked me again presently, taking up in his hand the Indian clasp.

"I traded for it among the Crow Indians."

"You know what it iss, en?"

"No, except that it is Indian made."

He scanned the round disks carefully.

"Wait!" he exclaimed. "I show you sometings."

He reached for my pencil, drew toward him a piece of paper, taking from his pocket meantime a bit of string. Using the latter for a radius, he drew a circle on the piece of paper.

"Now look what I do!" he said, as I bent over curiously. "See, I draw a straight line through the circle. I divide it in half, so. I divide it in half once more and make a point. Now I shorten my string one-half. On each side of my long line I make me a half circle—only half way round on the opposite sides. So, now, what I got, eh? You understand him?"

I shook my head. He pointed in turn to the rude ornamentation in the shell clasp. I declare that then I could see a resemblance between the two designs!

Mein Gott! it iss more than curious. It iss wonderful: I haf two Amazonians collected by my own hands, and 12 species of my own discovery, yess, in butterflies alone. That iss much? Listen, it iss nothings! Here iss the discovery!"

He took a pace or two excitedly, and came back to thump with his forefinger on the little desk.

"What you see before you iss the sign of the Great Monad! It iss known in China, in Burmah, in all Asia, in all Japan. It iss sign of the great One, of the great Two. In your hand iss the Tah Gook—the Oriental symbol for life, for sex. Myself, I haf seen that in Sitka on Chinese brasses; I haf seen it on Japanese signs, in one land and in another land. But here you show it to me made by the hand of some ignorant aborigine of this continent! On this continent, where it did not originate and does not belong! It iss a discovery! Science shall hear of it. It iss the link of Asia to America. It brings me fame!"

He put his hand into a pocket, and drew it out half filled with gold pieces and with raw gold in the form of nuggets, as though he would offer exchange. I waved him back. "No," said I; you are welcome to one of these disks, if you please. If you wish, I will take one litlte bit of these. But tell me, where did you find these pieces of raw gold?"

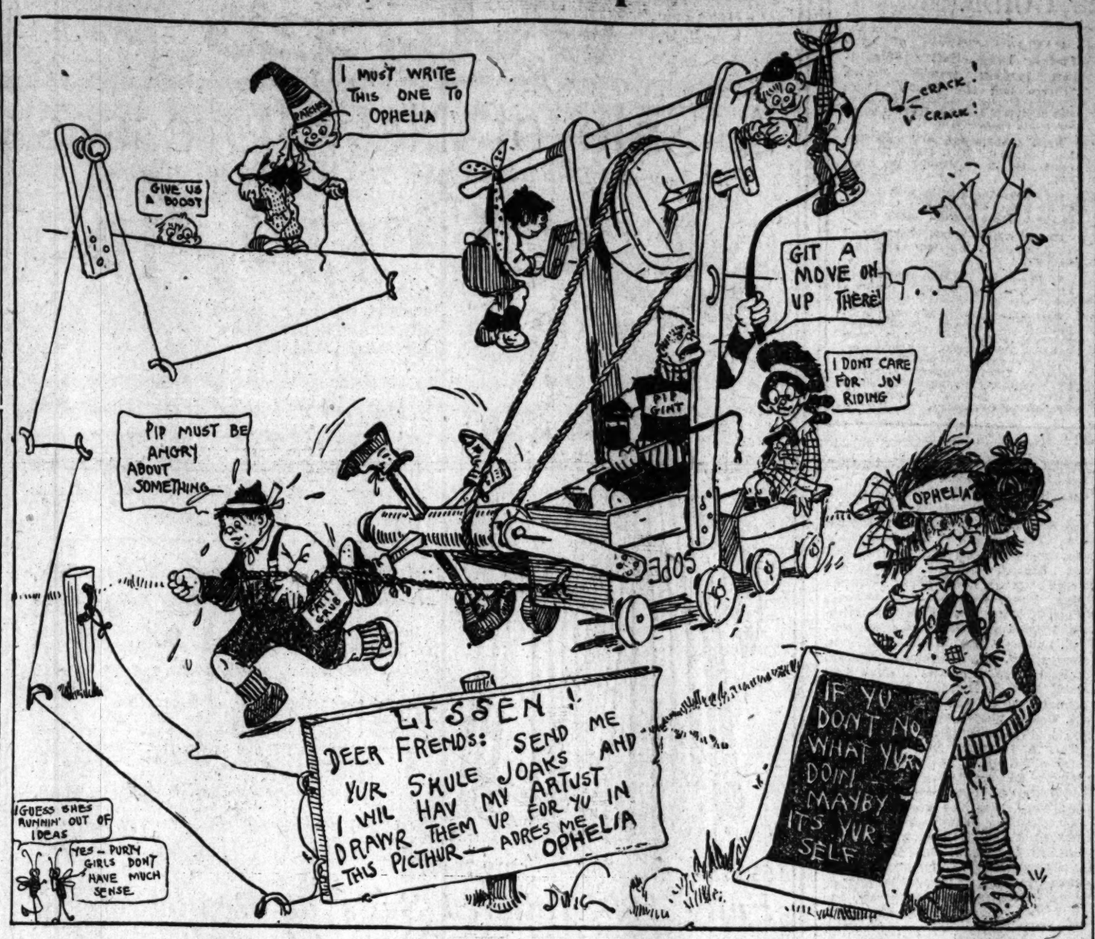
"Those? They are notings. I recollect me I found these one day up on the Rogue River, not far from my cabin. I am pursuing a most beautiful moth, such as I haf not in all my collection. So, I fall on a log; I skin me my leg. In the moss I find some bits of rock. I recollect not where, but believe it wass somewhere there. But what I find now, here, by a stranger—it iss worth more than gold! My friend, I thank you, I embrace you! I am favored by fate to meet you. Go with you to Washington? Yess, yess, I go!"

To Be Continued in the Post-Dispatch Tomorrow.

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Oh You Ophelia

BY DWIGGINS.



Love and Matrimony

A Post-Dispatch Expert's Advice on Affairs of the Heart.

By BETTY VINCENT.

A FEW days ago I wrote a note of warning to men, advising them not to pursue the girls of their acquaintance with attentions that are quite evidently distasteful to them. You would scarcely believe I should have to repeat this suggestion to girls, too, would you! Yet from many letters I receive asking me for advice, I cannot but gather there are many girls who do not realize it when they are not attractive to some man whom they themselves particularly admire.

Take a letter like this, for example. A girl writes me:

"I have met a man whom I consider the handsomest I have ever seen. However, he does not seem to be as strongly attracted to me as I am to him. I have written him many notes and postals, and he never answers them. I try continuously to arrange to meet him at dances and parties, but when I do he does not pay any particular attention to me."

Imagine a young girl so far forgetting her modesty and womanhood as deliberately to pursue a man like this with unwelcome attentions. She ought to know that if a man is not attracted by sweet and womanly characteristics he certainly will not be by an exhibition of traits that are quite the reverse.

A. S. writes:

"Does it mean, when a young man suddenly stops writing and calling after being very attentive all summer and half of the winter, that he no longer cares? I am unaware of having done anything to cause a coolness between us."

I am afraid the man has lost interest in your friendship. Unfortunately, there are many men who take sudden and violent interest in girls, call continuously, and then quite as suddenly weary of the acquaintance.

N. A. G. R. writes: "A young man has been calling upon me steadily for about a year, and we think a great deal of each other. But if anyone jokes him about getting married he always says he is not 'the marrying kind.' What is your opinion of him?"

Doubtless the young man concludes it impertinent for people to ask him questions about his personal affairs. The answer he gives to them probably does not indicate his attitude toward you.

A. R. writes:

"A man I know admires me very much. But I am only 16, and I feel I am too young to receive callers with serious intentions. Besides this, I feel that the young man is not a very desirable friend for me. How can I drop him?"

You might say you were out several times when he calls, and if he does not understand from this hint that his attentions are unwelcome tell him the truth, as you have told it to me.

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NEWS OF ST. LOUIS SOCIETY

ONE of the most brilliant audiences ever assembled in St. Louis greeted the opening performance of the Boston Opera Company at the Olympic Theater Monday evening. Everything was perfect, with one exception: Society was late, very late. One entire scene and the greater part of the second was over before the house was seated. The curtain-raising is earlier than the usual hour in St. Louis. Eight o'clock will be the time to be in one's seat for the opera week.

Mayor and Mrs. Kreismann entertained Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Niedringhaus and Mr. and Mrs. George K. Kobush in their box. Mr. and Mrs. George Willard Teasdale had as their guests Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Raines and Miss Lily Weber. Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. Kramer had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. John Boogher, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Madison White, Miss Hazel Kramer.

Miss Alice Neilsen, with some of the Boston Opera Company and Henry Russell, occupied one of the lower boxes.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Filley were in circle seats. Mrs. Filley wore pale gray.

Some of the girls in the audience were Misses Dorothy Niedringhaus, Harriette La Motte, Lucille Cates, Mary Lucas, Lucille Overstolz, Gladys C. Scudder, Irene Bond, Eleanor Delano, Vera Giannini and Martha Morrison. Others in the circle and parquet were: Judge and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stix, John Drummond, Laurence Mauran, Moses Fraley, Joseph Glaser, Howard Benoist, Edward Mallinckrodt, Frank Hammer, Leo Rassieur, Goodman King, Pierre Chouteau Scott, George Winston, Halsey Ives, Charles C. Nichols, William McChesney, Saunders Norvell, Lyman T. Hay, William C. Morris, George W. Niedringhaus, William Roemer, Shepard Barclay, George Simmons, John H. Helliday, Max Kotany, John O'Fallon Delaney, Ephron Catlin Jr., George Warren Brown, S. W. Fordyce, Alfred E. Bradley, J. H. Farish, Henry A. Boeckler, Dan C. Nugent, Dexter Tiffany, J. B. Widen, Charles Parsons Pettus, W. K. Bixby, Jordan, Louis Werner, Lliburne McNair, Mrs. Joel Wood, Miss Cloe Brown, Al Wegman, Franklin Seltzer, Mrs. Giannini, Edward Faust, Miss Nancy Girardi, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. George Doan, Guy Golterman, the Misses Rumsey, Miss Lucille Higdon, Dr. and Mrs. Gradwold Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Simmons and Duncan T. Mier.

PLAYGOERS' GUIDE.

OLYMPIC—Boston Opera Company in repertoire. Splendidly elaborate and finely satisfying performance of "Aida" last night. "Sakme" this evening's opera.

GARRICK—Marie Dressler in "Tillie's Nightmare." Brightly humorous musical farce-comedy. Star does excellent character work. Big and handsome production, with clever company.

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IMPERIAL — "Camille," with Ethel Clifton in title role and William Jossey as Armand Duval. Excellent presentation.

GAYETY—The Rialto Rounders. Burlesque and vaudeville.

HAVLIN'S—"Pierre of the Plains." Dramatization of Sir Gilbert Parker's popular stories, "Pierre and His People," with Severin DeDeyn in title role. Star and company above the usual popular price standard.

NEW COLUMBIA — Vaudeville bill, headed by Mlle. Dazie, famous danseuse, in "L'Amour de l'Artist."

GRAND—Vaudeville bill, headed by Mabel Bardine and company, in the Chinese playlet, "Suey San."

STANDARD—Wine, Woman and Song company. Burlesque and vaudeville.

GEM—Bella Italia musicians in vocal and instrumental numbers head new bill. Motion pictures.

ODEON—Tuesday evening, Amphio Club concert. Wednesday evening, second Beethoven Cycle concert by Symphony Orchestra. Friday evening and Saturday afternoon, fifth symphony concert by Symphony Orchestra. Sunday afternoon, popular concert by Symphony Orchestra.

Solid Gold Watches for graduation gifts—$13 to $100—at "Jaccard's."

Miss Mary Hayes Burkham and Lancing Ray will be married Tuesday at 5 o'clock at St. Peter's Church. The Rev. Dr. Garrett and Bishop Tuttle will officiate. Edward W. Lancing will be his brother's best man. Miss Burkham will have Mrs. Sterling E. Edmunds as matron of honor. Misses Malotte Houser, Katherine Gratz, Madeline Taussig and Marguerite Tower as bridemaids. Boyle Rhodes, George E. Brownlee, Sterling E. Edmunds, E. G. Burkham, Sam B. McPheeters and Eugene F. Williams will usher.

St. Louis Chapter, D. A. R., will hold an election of officers Friday at the Cabanne Branch Library at 1:30 o'clock.

William G. Muth and Miss Kathrine Gerhart were married at Kirkwood Monday afternoon.

Last week of "Jaccard's" 20 per cent Discount Sale. Buy your china now.

The committee of the Union Club has sent out invitations reading as follows: "His Royal Highness, ye most Gracious Prince Harlequin, hath given permission for a Bal Masque in ye Mikado's Tea Garden, Feb. 3."

The wedding of Miss Helen F. Whitman and Nathaniel McDonald will take place Tuesday morning, Feb. 1, at the home of the bride-elect's father, Henry L. Whitman, 4262 Delmar boulevard. Owing to the recent death of Mr. McDonald's aunt, Mrs. Wilbur F. Boyle, the wedding plans have been simplified. No one but relatives will be present.

Mrs. John F. Le Clercq of Paris, Tex., will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Hull, next week.

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NEW VAUDEVILLE BILLS.

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A dainty little Chinese playlet, "Suey San," in which Mabel Bardine and company are appearing at the Grand this week, is the pleasing topline feature of a well balanced bill. Others on the program are the Terry Twins, comedians and burlesque boxers; Smith and Brown, wooden shoe dancers; Wormwood's animal act; Smith and Branden, vocalists; George Evers, in minstrelsy; Lane and O'Donnell, and Williams and Gordon.

Hurt in Elevator Shaft.

Thomas Graham, a plumber, was seriously injured when an elevator weight descended upon him while he was at work in the basement of the building occupied by the Brandt Shoe Co. at 618 Washington avenue Monday afternoon. His left jaw and collar bone were broken. He is at the City Hospital.

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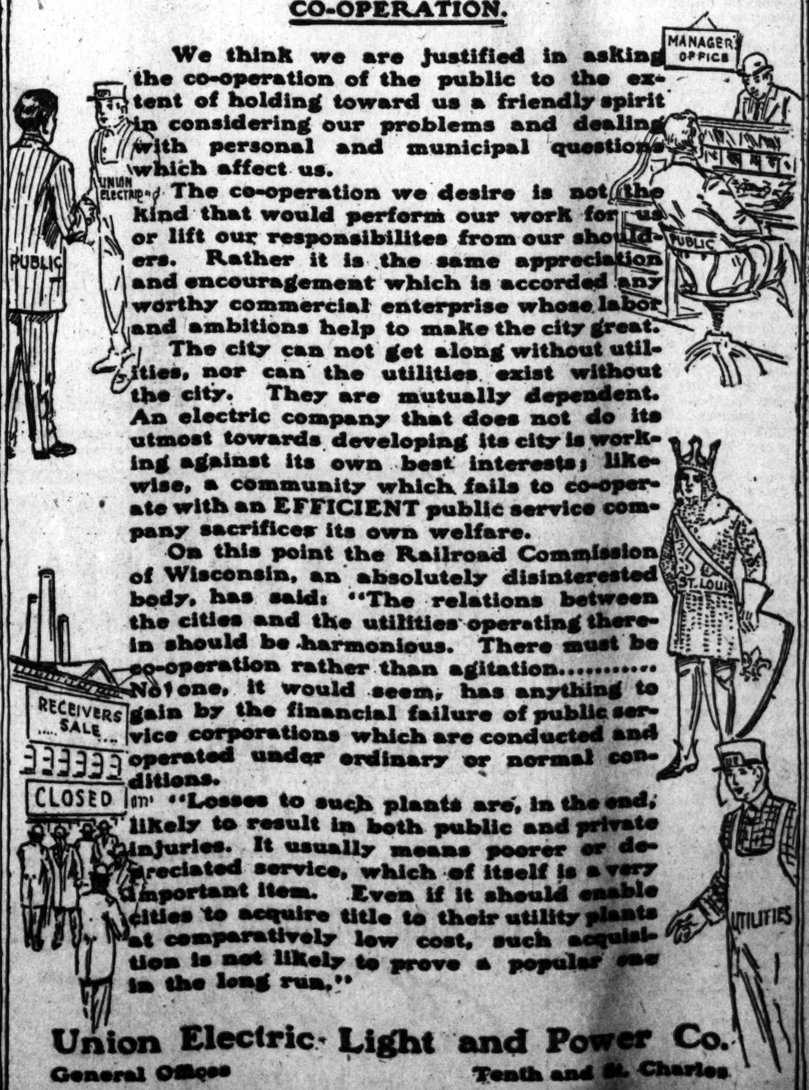
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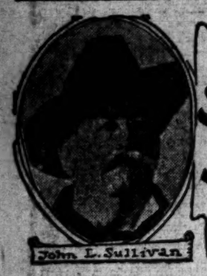
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JOHN L. SULLIVAN'S STORY OF HIS LIFE

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CHAPTER XIV.

DURING my series of picnics following the defeat of Champion Ryan I knocked out more than one hundred fighters, and sporting men throughout the country were scouring the world for somebody to stop me. None of them ever succeeded. At this time the country was wild over prize-fighting, and it was no trouble to pack the houses wherever I appeared.

While on this tour of the United States Richard K. Fox, editor of the Police Gazette, proved to be the best friend I ever had, though he did not know it. He had agents all over the world looking for somebody to lick me. He always backed my opponents in big fights. By his untiring efforts to get me whipped he kept me in the limelight and furnished the opportunity in the shape of easy fights for me to make a lot of money.

The only man who succeeded in staying the four rounds was Joe Collins, better known as "Tug" Wilson, an English fighter, for whom to this day I have a supreme disgust. He had been imported from England to "pulverize" me. They found him in Leicester.

The match took place in Madison Square Garden, New York, on the evening of July 17, 1882. Tug's ability to stay the four rounds was due largely to a bad decision of the referee and the fact that he managed to crawl on the floor and hug until the round would end. It was evident to the 12,000 people who witnessed the mill, which could hardly be called a fight, that Wilson was whipped, but he was on his feet when the time was called at the end of the fourth round and he went back to England with $4000 tucked in his jeans.

Wilson was badly pummeled, but as Dick Malloy, the well-known New York politician, said, "You know a lot of court plaster can be bought for $4000."

Starts New Scheme.

THAT encounter with Wilson opened the eyes of the public to a new idea in fighting that is prevalent today. Up to that time the sporting men had become accustomed to seeing men stand up and fight. It had never occurred to them that a fellow could deliberately "dog" it and get away for four rounds. Wilson went into the ring with no intention of fighting. We had hardly put up our hands when he dropped to the floor without having been struck. He stayed there for the count of nine, and when I went after him again he hugged me around the waist until he could ease himself to the floor. There was no chance to put him out, because he wouldn't stand up. I had never fought a man like that before, and it riled me to think that a fellow wouldn't stand up and be game.

The crowd hissed repeatedly, but that had no effect on the Englishman. He was bent on getting away with the $4000, and he cared nothing for having a reputation as a clean fighter. Up to that time the fighters had a sense of honor among themselves, and they had rather be defeated than to be considered what we now call "yellow." That was not true of Wilson, however, and this artful dodger gave the public a new idea in prize-ring tactics. Since that time many fighters have employed that means of continuing a fight. That is one reason why so many fights of today are unsatisfactory to six or eight rounds. By dropping to the floor and holding on most any fighter can stick out six rounds.

In the fourth round Wilson got in the way of one of my swings and was nearly out, but the bell saved him. I say "bell"—as a matter of fact, we had no bells in those days. The timekeeper would simply call out "Time!" The bells came in later.

Second Fight Stopped.

WHEN the fight was over and Wilson had been handed his $4000 for staying four rounds I was hopping mad. My managers were equally angry. Richard K. Fox and others were at the ringside and right there and then we made arrangements for another fight between us. Fox put up a forfeit of $500. The second match was stopped by the authorities, and the chance to lick that fellow was gone. Subsequently he agreed to a match with Jimmy Elliott, with a forfeit of $500 a side, the fight to be under the London prize ring rules. But Tug Wilson had no intention of fighting again, and he slipped off to London. Fox forfeited the stake money and that was the end of Tug Wilson's career in America.

The next we heard of Wilson was in the sporting columns of a London paper, which said:

"Tug Wilson has got his level. He is keeping a public house and performing solos on his own trumpet. He is better at blowing that than at blows. He didn't trash anyone over here and in America he didn't wait long enough to get thrashed by either Elliott, Sullivan or Rooke. He made a masterly, but inglorious retreat, ungratefully leaving in the lurch those who had been his best friends. Sullivan, they say, is going to make a trip over here, and Tug may be put to a test in a way that will make him shake in his boots."

A New York paper added to this:

"Over here we have fighters who fight and do not talk. The best that England has sent us yet is Tug—the kind that talks for $7000 and doesn't fight for a cent."

Changes Style of Defense.

WHILE I was having this "series of picnics" don't imagine for a minute that I was not trying to learn something. No man ever got too old to learn, and to this day I am finding things out that are new to me. That fight with Tug Wilson gave me an idea. I had never seen a man who would refuse to stand up and fight before. I therefore decided that the only way to get one of those fellows was to land on him when he put up his hands and take no chances of his crawling about the floor.

While a fighter might be able to whip an antagonist with ease in 10 rounds, he will find it very difficult to get a man in four rounds if the opponent resorts to running tactics. Under the London prize ring rules a man could not run so easily, as he was compelled to wear shoes studded with one-inch spikes. That was intended as foothold in the turf so that he could put force behind his blows. No man can hit hard unless he has his feet securely planted. He must put the force of his body into the blows to make them effective.

While watching a preliminary fight between two lightweights one day I noticed one of them make a feint and then ram his fist into his opponent's



stomach. Up to that time it was customary for fighters to stand with their hands stuck out on a level with their faces. That was before the day of the crouch. Seeing what a disadvantage a fighter was at when he held his hands high I decided to lower mine and keep them on a level with the stomach, as the fighters do today. If you will notice the pictures of fighters—those of the old school down to those of today—you will notice that they have gradually lowered their hands, until now some of them do not put up their hands at all until they get ready for fast work. The old idea of putting the hands up high was largely a matter of form. The public thought nobody could be a fighter unless he did that. At least that is the way it appears from the pictures.

VON DACH QUITS M'KINLEY FIVE

The championship aspirations of the McKinley High School basket ball team were dealt a serious blow when William von Dach, one of the best all-round athletes at the South Side school, resigned from the team. His action came not as a surprise, as there was a great deal of friction between the popular athlete and Coach Voss, owing to trouble over the election of captain about a month ago. It was stated that Von Dach had quit because of not being elected. Von Dach was also a member of the football, baseball and track teams, and was rated as one of the best ends in the I. L. on the gridiron. He played a forward on the basket ball five for three years, and was being counted as being an important figure in the championship game with Central on Feb. 19. He may be followed by another member of the five, as there is considerable hard feeling which shows itself in many of the South Siders' contests.

Thursday night a meeting of the representatives of at least 12 of the best local fives will be held at the First Regiment Armory for the purpose of formulating plans to send two or three local teams to Chicago March 16, 17, 18, to compete in the National A. A. U. basket ball championship. Representatives from M. A. C., Y. M. C. A., Premiere Lodge, the high schools, Washington University and the First Regiment are expected to be present.

An excellent game is carded for the Louisiana Hall tonight, when the Markham Memorials and Grace Church teams meet, in which there should be plenty of excitement. The two fives are rated highly in local circles and are apt to put up ther best game. The Soldan High School and the Markham reserves clash in the preliminary.

The American Girls were given their closest game of the season Monday night at the Louisiana Hall, when they met a picked team consisting of mostly Yeatman High girls. The final score was 18 to 8 in favor of the Americans, who won on their superior team work and the clever shooting of Miss Hazel Wilson. Miss Trago and Miss Geeow were the stars for the Pick-Ups.

The Louisiana League stages its usual double header Wednesday night at the Louisiana Hall.

MORAN OR DRISCOLL TO FIGHT ABE ATTELL SOON

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—According to advices received here, Jimmy Coffroth, the fight promoter, who is now in Europe, intends to bring either Owen Moran or Jem Driscoll here for a fight with Abe Attell for the featherweight championship. Coffroth has intimated that he will stage the battle on Feb. 22, the same date on which Nelson and Wolgast are to meet at Los Angeles.

NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS OF MIDDLE WEST TENPIN CONGRESS



C. W. TURNER, KANSAS CITY. G. O. FRANCISCO, OMAHA. GEORGE STROTZ, DES MOINES. G. QUALEY, ST. LOUIS.

MIDDLE WEST TO FOSTER WORLD'S TENPIN TOURNEY

HIGH SCORES OF THE TOURNEY UP TO DATE

FIVE-MEN TEAMS.

Brunswick-Balkes, Kansas City....2,909
Duffys, St. Louis 2,865
De Sotos, St. Louis 2,792

TWO-MEN TEAMS.

Bell and Bliss, St. Louis.....1,284
Perkes and Lockwood, St. Louis.1,223
Drain and Kay, St. Joseph 1,213

INDIVIDUALS.

H. F. Siemens, St. Joseph 645
F. Schulteis, St. Louis 633
Jules Schmitt, St. Louis 628
O. Roeder, Kansas City 628

Before going out of office, Monday afternoon, the members of the executive committee of the Middle West Bowling Association decided to open its entry list to the world, henceforth. The next tournament of the association will be held at Omaha, Neb., on the alleys owned by G. O. Francisco, starting Nov. 23, Thanksgiving eve.

The tournament now in progress on the De Soto Pine alleys in this city, ends with Tuesday. There was but one change in the high marks of the tournament, Monday. Al Bell and Bliss of the Budweiser team of St. Louis got the phenomenally high score of 1254, which is almost certain to land them the championship medals and first prize money in that event. Bell and Bliss did not bowl until late in the afternoon.

The Regals and Duffy bowlers occupied the alleys most of the time Monday morning and afternoon. Jules Schmitt, captain of the Regals, cracked out a 628 score in the individual competition that tied him for third with O. Roeder of Kansas City.

The meeting of the old executive committee of the Middle West Bowling Association at the American Hotel Monday afternoon, which was followed by the regular meeting of the Middle West Bowling Association, were both tame affairs. Everything had previously been agreed upon. Everything was done unanimously.

There was a little discussion in the Executive Committee meeting as to whether or not it would be best to obliterate the present boundary lines of the Middle West tournament. It was pointed out that the National Bowling Association of New York has no boundary lines for the section from which it will accept entries.

Chicago Tourney Unlimited.

It was also shown that the International Bowling Association, which will hold a big tournament at Chicago next month, is accepting entries from Chicago and all parts of the country. It was finally decided to open up the Middle West tournament to the world. The former boundary lines were from St. Paul to the Gulf of Mexico and from the Mississippi River to the Rocky Mountains. Chicago teams and two teams from Detroit, not to mention several other Eastern cities, would have been represented at the St. Louis tournament if they had been able to enter.

The election of officers was run off rapidly. George Strotz of Des Moines, Io., was again elected president; George Qualey of St. Louis was elected first vice-president, William Lucas of Kansas City was named as second vice-president, Charles Nicholls of Kansas City, third vice-president W. H. Musick of St. Louis, fourth vice-president; G. O. Francisco of Omaha, Neb., treasurer; Dick Grote of Omaha, Neb., secretary. Grote and Musick were the only new men elected, the others succeeding themselves to the offices they formerly held.

It was decided to increase the Executive Committee from nine to 10 men. The following men were elected, they being the only ones nominated: Maurice A. Phillips, St. Louis; A. B. Kirkpatrick, Topeka, Kan.; M. K. Kinaman, St. Joseph, Mo.; Gus Heitz, St. Louis; Fred Langenberg, St. Louis; T. M. McClelland, Kansas City; C. W. Turner, Kansas City; F. P. Graves, Doe Run, Mo.; Ralph Cale, Marshalltown, Io.; G. J. Hagel, Columbus, Neb.

Charley Nicholls of Kansas City and George Qualey of St. Louis have settled upon next Saturday night as the date for rolling the second five games of the $500 a side tenpin match between picked teams from Kansas City and St. Louis, which will be rolled on the brand-new Palace alleys at Kansas City. The first five games were bowled on the new Grand-Arsenal alleys last Sunday afternoon, the Kansas City men gaining a lead of 95 pins. George Qualey, Al Jellison, Martin Kern, Homer Sanders and Jules Schmitt composing the St. Louis picked team, will depart for Kansas City next Friday night.

Martin Kern registered the champion hard-luck score of the tournament when he bowled his individual games Monday. Kern did not make a miss in the three games, but got 483 because of frequent splits.

LYNCH INSPIRES RULES MAKING UMPIRE KING ON BALL FIELD

Rowdy Players Will Find Nothing but Expulsion and Fines From Now On.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 25.

THE extended power given umpires by the adoption of a rule by the Rules Committee of the National League last night is an inspiration of President T. J. Lynch. This is the rule empowering the umpire to clear the bench of substitutes of any team who express their disapproval of the umpire's decisions and indulge in rowdyism in general. "There has been much rowdyism from the bench," Secretary Haydler said, "and these are the men President Lynch is after. Umpires Klem and Johnston were two of the president's advisers in this matter, these having been sufferers from the bench during the last playing season. Up to last night there was no rule to cover this, but now rowdy players will be reprimanded, and for a second offense fined $10, and for the third offense they will have to leave the playing grounds."

Just who will compose the National League's umpirical staff next season is not known at the present time, as no official announcement has been made. However, it is certain that both Klem and Johnstone will be two of the eight indicator holders. There will also be two substitutes, who may be called upon to do duty whenever their services are needed.

Nationals Hold for 168 Games.

THE National League playing season will be based on a schedule of 168 games, and upon that basis the Joint Schedule Committee of the American and National League is working, although its labors here were not completed Monday night. Another session was called Tuesday, and in the meantime no information was given out by any of the members.

Chairman C. H. Ebbetts of Brooklyn, chairman of the National League committee, said that the work of the joint committee was the rearranging of conflicting dates. As to the length of the season, he said that as chairman of the Schedule Committee he had been instructed by the six club presidents to arrange for 168 games. They had the determining power in voting it next month, and Mr. Dreyfuss and himself had no vote by reason of being members of the committee, therefore the arrangements with the American League were being made on that basis.

Strict Rules in Order.

WHEN the Rules Committee finished its deliberations Monday a statement of its work was given out. For the first time two umpires are officially recognized in the national game and their duties are defined. The umpire behind the plate is the umpire-in-chief and the one on bases is designated field umpire.

Aside from changes in phraseology to clarify the meaning of the rules, there were few alterations. Wild pitches and passed balls will be no longer recognized, and these designations disappear from the game. They will be classed as errors.

The amounts of fines for violations of rules is set forth, and the umpire is also given power to clear the bench of substitute players expressing their disapproval of decisions. The substitutes may be fined $10 after being warned, and further may be sent to the clubhouse to be called into the game by the captain as he needs them. This was found to be advisable because much trouble was experienced by the National League last year from the substitutes on the bench, according to Secretary Heydler.

A batter throwing the bat before running so that it hits umpire or catcher will also be fined for the first offense $5.

A coacher's box extending 15 feet from the bases is provided. Foul strikes are designated "illegally batted balls." No change can be made in the batter's box by a batter after a pitcher is ready to deliver a ball. A ball passing an infielder and hitting an umpire on foul ground permits a runner all the bases he can get, but if an umpire is hit by a ball no runner can score unless forced by other base runners.

The batting order must be delivered to the umpire at the plate just before the game by the two captains. This order must be retained throughout the game unless a man is taken out.

Umpires will make rulings on coaching violations or discoloring of the ball in their own judgment without waiting for captains to notify them. Ground rules and calling of games to enable teams to catch trains must be announced by the umpire. He will also call the game on account of rain when occasion warrants in his own judgment.

When teams from the East playing in the West or vice versa agree upon a certain time to stop playing that they may catch trains, they must start the game at least three and a half hours before their train leaves.

Throwing a mask or glove at a batted ball by a fielder entitles the batter who becomes a base runner to three bases.

These changes and additions become the law of baseball in the National League at once without further sanction.

Camp Picks An Eleven From Stars of Old

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.

AN all-American football team picked from among all the stars who have graced the gridiron during the past 20 years has been compiled by Walter Camp. Ted Coy and Hamilton Fish, the captains at Yale and Harvard last fall, are the only players of the past season to get places among the old-time stars.

Here is Mr. Camp's all-star eleven:

Ends—Hinkey, Yale, and Shevlin, Yale.

Tackles—Fish, Harvard, and Dewitt, Princeton.

Guards—Hetfelfinger, Yale, and Hare, Pennsylvania.

Center—Schults, Michigan.

Quarterback—Eckersall, Chicago.

Halfbacks—Weeks, Columbia, and Heston, Michigan.

Fullback—Coy, Yale.

CUE MEN WIN AND LOSE AT KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 25.—St Louis and Kansas City divided honors in the first games of the intercity three-cushion billiard tournament here Monday.

In the afternoon game Thomas Moore of St. Louis defeated John Moore of Kansas City, 50 to 48.

J. T. Backus of Kansas City defeated John B. Botte of St. Louis, 50 to 47, at night. In the last six innings Backus displayed good form, climbing rapidly to the front after apparently being defeated.

Goldman in a Knockout.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Charlie Goldman, one of the numerous champion bantamweights of the East Side knocked out Marty Heefron of Brooklyn in the eighth round of what was scheduled to be a 10-round bout at the Bedford Athletic Club, Brooklyn, Monday night.

Doerr Gets a Match Here.

Freddie Doerr, the local welterweight wrestler, will meet Al Heitzenroeder in a best two-out-of-three fall, catch-as-catch-can wrestling match at Reis' Hall, 3300 South Broadway, on the afternoon of Feb. 6. The bout will be the first in which Doerr has taken part for some time.

S. B. A. C. Has Planned Good Boxing Show

John Sauter, who a couple of years ago was rated one of the best boxers in the middleweight division in St. Louis or vicinity, will oppose Rudolph Kreider of the M. A. C. in the feature contest of the amateur boxing show to be held at the South Broadway A. C. Saturday evening.

In the other bouts on the program Joe Weber of the South Broadway A. C. will oppose Johnny Ray of the Business Men's Gymnasium at 124 pounds; C. Barnes of the South Broadway A. C. will meet B. Gross of the South Broadway A. C. at 135 pounds; Jack Pezolt of the South Broadway A. C. will oppose Peter Sturholt of the Missouri A. C. at 135 pounds; Oscar Joergens of the South Broadway A. C. will meet Tim McCarthy of the Business Men's Gymnasium at 150 pounds.

Gus Bardol of the South Broadway A. C. and Harry Cook, athletic director of the Business Men's Gymnasium, have been appointed judges for the bouts. Harry Sharpe will act as referee.

WEST POINT WILL CONTINUE IN FOOTBALL

WEST POINT, N. Y., Jan. 25.—That football will be played at West Point next year is assured by the completion of the next season's schedule, which composes nine games, and with the exception of Bowdoin on Oct. 1, which will be the first game, the schedule has the same teams as last year. Yale will again be the third game, with Harvard two weeks later. These are the only two big teams the cadets will meet. Washington and Jefferson has been dropped and Bowdoin taken on in its place.

It is almost certain that Lieut. Henry M. Nelly, who has had such excellent results with the team for the last two years, will again be head coach, and his assistants, although not yet selected, will surely be from the army. Pullen and Chamberlain are the only two varsity men that the soldiers lose by graduation this year.

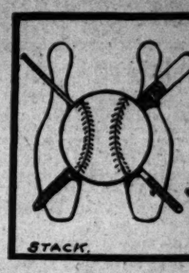
Jockey to Try South America.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Sam Doggett, the jockey, who has been out of the saddle for several seasons, will ride again this summer. He will do his riding in Buenos Ayres, and the announcement of his intention to go to Argentina has attracted attention to racing conditions there. It is said that S. C. Hildreth and perhaps two or three other American owners will send strings to the South American republic as an experiment.

Mahmoot Wins Another.

RICHMOND, Ind., Jan. 25.—Yussif Mahmout, the Turk, won a wrestling match here Monday night from Stanley Fitzsimmons, reputed Australian champion, in two straight falls. It required 34 minutes for Raoul de Rouen, the Frenchman, to throw Charles Olsen of Indianapolis.

WRAY'S COLUMN.


STACK.

OF course that 168-game schedule is going through. Before night falls the crime of the National League will have been committed and irrevocably. The committee's authority is such as to lead to the belief that there will be no eleventh hour chance made in the plans of the organization, after the Pittsburg ratification.

Mr. Dreyfuss of Pittsburg has been alone in standing out against this prolongation of baseball, ad nauseam. But he has only one-third of the voice of the committee and only one-eighth of the voting force of the League. It seems that the entire National outfit has lost its senses and really thinks the 168-game season will be of benefit to it and of gratification to the public.

As members of the dear old public, we can't help ourselves, but it is certain that if a majority of fans had a vote there would be no trouble about the extra game season. Take it from the real fountain head of baseball things, the fan, the additional games are not wanted, Messrs. Owners of the National League. The games serve no purpose whatever and interfere with established traditions in the way of post-season series, to say nothing of the world's championship.

Explain, Please, Missouri.

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY has safely—and it thinks sanely—disposed of Missouri University for the coming 12 months. When Missouri offered it a Columbia football date or nothing, pending its arrangements to make more money in St. Louis through a game with the St. Louis University, it gasped for sheer outrage of the thing, knowing that Missouri had agreed to play this year in St. Louis, in a previous arrangement. It drew up two petitions, one of which recommended the severance of relations with the State university. But that was not the petition that passed. It is now made certain that the Pikeway school will go to Columbia this year to play its annual game and will respectfully eat out of the land of Hetherington and his clan. Missouri has simply committed a sordid, athletic crime. There is no reason apparent why the State institution should have dropped Washington from its schedule in favor of St. Louis U., a school that it has never been in sympathy with and one which, until the present year, it has cordially distrusted.

While everyone in this city will rejoice to see St. Louis U. on the Tigers' schedule, it will not do so knowing that it has been at the expense of Washington—a school which, next to Kansas University, is entitled by tradition to the next best consideration of the schedule makers at Columbia.

Think it over, Missouri, before you perpetuate this little athletic affair another year.

What's the Odds?

A GENTLEMAN who says he is an old subscriber wants to know whether Jeffries or Johnson is favorite to win the coming fight for the world's championship.

That's about the hardest one to answer that has cropped up since Wise Willie quit inventing questions for the baseball department. Does anyone know what the odds should be?

As a matter of fact, until the men are ready to get into the ring where everybody can get a close glimpse of them, there will be little authoritative betting. At best the odds will be based on personal, individual opinions. The chances are that Jeffries, representing the dominant white race will be the favorite. There are too many persons with money to risk on him to prevent his entering the ring second choice.

Nevertheless, Johnson has been gaining admirers daily, and it would not be surprising to see a tide of purely professional betting set in on the black, which would bring him close to favoritism at the ringside.

As the matter stands now there is no chance for anyone to place a bet on the scrap without conceding at least 7 to 5 in Jeffries' favor. His wonderful record and his remarkable physique give him a strong call in the ante-fight betting. However, there has been no definite price established by early speculation.

BILLIARDS

Woodward and Sheble are scheduled to meet in the 18.2 balk-line billiard tournament match at Charley Peterson's Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Matthey defeated Nivrap Monday, 200 to 161.

The results in the Newspaper Men's tournament matches at Peterson's Monday were as follows: Kennamore (75) 75, Doyle (50) 46; Kennamore (75) 75, Finnegan (35) 30; Keener (65) 65, Eks (25) 20; Crusinberry (50), Finnegan (35) 30; Eks (25) 25, Boylan (75) 60; Wray (100) 100, Doyle (50) 29; Wray (100) 100, Keener (65) 23; Keener (65) 65, Crusinberry (50) 45.

Shay and Reilly will meet in the three-cushion billiard tournament match at Pasch's Tuesday. Monday Arnold, with a high run of 6, defeated Carleton, 25 to 20.

Anderson and Balsheiser will meet in the third game of the series Tuesday night to decide who shall receive second and third prize money in the State championship pool tournament at the Navarre.

Johnny Goetz showed his speed when he defeated Staley at the Rex in the class A three-cushion match Monday night, in easy style, 40 to 20. Goetz registered the excellent average of .75 and made a high run of four. Ellison and Simons play Tuesday night.

Frank Keith defeated Bierman, 100 to 44, and Johannes won from Kelly, 75 to 41, in the pool tournament games at the Royal Monday.

WILL ENTER COLTS IN EASTERN STAKE EVENTS

JUAREZ, Mexico, Jan. 25.—Don Alberto Terrazas, president of the jockey club of Juarez, and Brice McKinney, millionaire steel magnate of Cleveland, O., will race a big stable of 2-year-olds in New York this summer. Maxey Hirsch, who has been engaged as trainer, has purchased 12 youngsters from A. B. Spreckels of California.

The 2-year-olds have been entered liberally in the big 2-year-old stakes on the Metropolitan circuit this summer.

St. Louis Club Tenpin Tourney.

The St. Louis Club announces its annual championship tenpin bowling tournament, open only to members of the club, to be held on the club's alleys, starting Jan. 29. It is probable that there will be a handicap competition, as well as the regular championship tournament.

To Send Team of Stars For Berlin Games

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Everett C. Brown, president of the Amateur Athletic Union of America, announced Tuesday that he would give his official approval to the plan to send a team of American athletes to compete in world games at the German-American exposition in Berlin this coming summer. Mr. Brown was informed by James E. Sullivan, president of the National body, that J. P. Morgan and August Belmont, who are standing as sponsors for American interests in the exposition, thought the games should be one of the features, and accordingly inquiries were launched as to whether the Amateur Athletic Union would undertake to send a team as it did to the London Olympic games in 1908.

Mr. Brown said he heartily favored the scheme, especially since there will be no international games in Greece this year. A team of from twenty-five to forty picked men was thought feasible.

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DEATHS.

BARNER—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 12:30 a. m., Christian Barner, relict of Marie Barner (nee Kruse), and dear father of Mrs. Alvina Gronemeier and Mrs. Malinda Schroer, father-in-law of Frank F. Gronemeier and the late William Schroer, dear grandfather of William F. Schroer, after a brief illness in his seventy-eighth year.
The funeral will take place on Thursday, Jan. 28, at 2 p. m., from residence of his son-in-law, 3922 Cottage avenue, to St. Peter's Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. (c3)

BRINKMANN—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 6:10 p. m., Herman Brinkmann, beloved brother of Henry Brinkmann, Mrs. Phillip Reuther and Mrs. William Eberlein, aged 41 years 9 months and 15 days.
Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. William Eberlein, 7505 Minnesota avenue, on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 2 p. m., to Evang. Luth. Cemetery.
Springfield (Mo.) papers please copy. (c)

BURBACH—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 3:45 a. m., James McGuffin Burbach, beloved husband of Lulu Burbach (nee Reisenleiter), and son of Anthony and Mary E. Burbach, and dear brother of John, B. A., Louis W., Joseph, George M., Lillian May Aldrich.
Funeral from residence, 4020A Palm street, on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 1 p. m., to St. Matthew's Church, thence to Bethania Cemetery. Friends invited. Deceased was a member of Typographical Union, No. 8.

CHAMBERLAIN—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 6:15 p. m., Mariama Chamberlain, beloved daughter of Elizabeth Chamberlain, our dear sister, sister-in-law and aunt.
Funeral from residence of her brother-in-law, Edwin Schulze, 3317 Halliday avenue, on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery.

COLEMAN—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 2:30 a. m., Joseph P. Coleman, beloved husband of Mary Coleman (nee Whelan), father of Francis Coleman, brother of John Coleman, Mrs. Mary Kelly, Mrs. Catherine Dowd, and Mother Mary Cleaver of the Sisters of Mercy of Denver, Colo.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 1502 Biddle street, on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 2 p. m., to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Deceased was a member of Anchor Lodge, K. and L. of H. (c)

DOWNEY—Entered into rest on Saturday, Jan. 22, 1910, at 11:50 p. m., Mary Agnes Downey (nee Dwyer), beloved wife of Daniel Downey, and mother of Francis, Alice, Edward and Ada Downey, and our dear daughter and sister.
Funeral on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 3300 Caroline street, to Church of the Immaculate Conception, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Compton Circle, No. 325, P. H. C.
Chatham (Ontario) papers please copy. (c)

FESSNER—Entered into rest on Sunday, Jan. 23, 1910, at 9:30 a. m., Joseph Fessner, beloved father of Anna, Joseph Jr., Martha and Louis Fessner and Mary Fels (nee Fessner), and our dear grandfather, father-in-law, brother-in-law and uncle, at the age of 67 years.
Funeral from residence, 3445 Itaska street, on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Cecelia's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. (c2)

FITZPATRICK—Entered into rest on Sunday, Jan. 23, 1910, at 5:45 a. m., Isabella Fitzpatrick, aged 64 years 11 months and 2 days, beloved wife of John Fitzpatrick, mother of William, Mrs. Mollie A. Young (nee Fitzpatrick), and the late George W. Fitzpatrick, daughter of Capt. William Hood, sister of Capt. Isaiah Hood and Capt. William Hood Sr., and neice of Capt. Isaiah Sellers.
Funeral services will be held at residence, 5811 Michigan avenue, on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 10 a. m. Interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend.
Perryville (Mo.), Danville (Ind.) and Colton (Cal.) papers please copy. (c2)

HALPIN—After a lingering illness, on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 8 p. m., Joseph W. Halpin, beloved son of William F. and Mary E. Halpin (nee McClain), brother of William F. Halpin Jr., nephew of John T., Joseph A. and James McClain and Mrs. E. J. Britton, aged 25 years.
The funeral will take place on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, 1823 Cora avenue, to Visitation Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.
Carlyle (Ill.) papers please copy. (c)

HESS—Entered into rest on Sunday, Jan. 23, 1910, Justus Hess, beloved husband of Elizabeth Hess (nee Riebeling), father of August Hess, Mrs. John Michel, Ernest J. Hess, Arthur J. Hess, Mrs. William Fernau, George H. Hess, and our dear grandfather at the age of 73 years.
Funeral on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m., from residence, 3540 South Broadway. (2)

JOHNSON—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 4:10 p. m., Anna Johnson, beloved mother of Walter, George J., Minnie, Edward and Samuel A. Johnson, aged 69 years.
Services on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 9 a. m., at Witt Bros.' establishment, 809 Hickory street. Friends invited. Interment at Bellefontaine Cemetery. Funeral private. (c)

KELLY—On Friday, Jan. 21, 1910, at Los Angeles, Cal., John P. Kelly, husband of Mamie Kelly (nee Moore) and dear brother of Mary E., Mat. A., Edward J., Maggie Kelly and Mrs. Celia [illegible], Katherine Cotta.
Interment at Los Angeles, Cal.
Cincinnati and Columbus (O.) papers please copy.

KING—On Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at [illegible] a. m., Catheryne King (nee [illegible]), beloved wife of M. J. [illegible].
Funeral from family residence, [illegible] North Garrison avenue, on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Teresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Funeral private.

KIRN—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 1 a. m., Joseph Kirn, beloved husband of Minnie Kirn, and dear father of Joseph, Charles, Julius, Mary and Minnie Kirn, aged 44 years 6 months and 8 days.
Funeral from family residence, 3424 Minnesota avenue, on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Deceased was a member of Eva Lodge, No. 511, K. and L. of H., and Carpenters' Union, Local 1011. (c)

KRAMMERER—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 10 p. m., Mathilda Krammerer (nee Vogler), mother of Charles, Julius, William, Fred Krammerer and Bertha Westermayer, grandmother and mother-in-law, at the age of 60 years 10 months and 9 days.
Due notice of funeral later. (c)

KUHRMAN—Suddenly, entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 10:30 a. m., at the age of 43 years, Ernest Kuhrman, beloved husband of Elisabeth Kuhrman (nee Bechtel), father of Edward Kuhrman.
Funeral from family residence, [illegible] Caroline street, on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 2 p. m. (services at the house), to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. Friends invited.

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DEATHS.

LANGAN—On Sunday, Jan. 23, 1910, at 7 p. m., Edward Langan, beloved son of Mrs. Ellen Price (nee McDermott), brother of John and Mary Langan and Charles H. Price Jr.
Funeral will take place from family residence, 2411 Bacon street, on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Teresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. (c2)

LIPPMANN—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 7 a. m., at the age of 62 years, Mary Lippmann, beloved mother of William and Mollie Lippmann.
Funeral will take place from residence, 2708 Caroline street, on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 2 p. m., (service at the house), to New Picker Cemetery. Friends invited.

LODDEKE—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 4:45 p. m., August Loddeke, beloved husband of Gertrude Loddeke (nee Wobbe), father of Eleven Loddeke, and dear son of Antoinette Loddeke, and dear brother of Joseph, John, Bernard, George, Annie and Mamie Loddeke, and brother-in-law of John, Arthur, Clarence Wobbe and Louis Damen, at the age of 25 years.
Funeral will take place from residence, 1621 North Sixteenth street, on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Lawrence's Church. (c)

McLAUGHLIN—Entered into rest on Sunday, Jan. 23, 1910, at 8 a. m., Felix McLaughlin, beloved husband of Mary McLaughlin (nee McAndrews), and father of Mark, Sadie, Alice, Felix, Leo, Luke and John McLaughlin, aged 47 years and 6 months.
Funeral from family residence, 5263 Theodosia avenue, on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Mark's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.
Chicago papers please copy. (c2)

MILLER—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 8 a. m., Lena Miller (nee Kost), beloved mother of Lena and Officer Edward F. Miller, Second District, dear sister of George Kost, grandmother of Rosie and Edward Miller, and mother-in-law of Rosie Miller (nee Kohne).
Funeral from family residence, 2932 Wisconsin avenue, on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m., to St. Paul's Cemetery. (c)

OVERSTOLZ—After a lingering illness, on Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 3:30 a. m., Herman Overstolz, beloved husband of Anna B. Overstolz (nee Forster), aged 48 years 9 months and 7 days.
Due notice of funeral will be given.

QUIGLEY—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 9:10 p. m., Patrick J. Quigley, beloved husband of Nellie A. Quigley (nee Shaw), dear father of James C., Silas J., Joseph P., Edward A., George A., Harold F., Charles J., Nellie A., Corinne M., Elizabeth Foley (nee Quigley).
Funeral from family residence, 2815A Arsenal street, on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Agnes' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

SCHNIPPER—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 8:45 a. m., John Schnipper, beloved husband of Lillie Schnipper (nee Guenther), and our dear father, grandfather and father-in-law, after a lingering illness, at the age of 52 years 9 months and 2 days.
Funeral on Wednesday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 3458 South Compton avenue.
Belleville (Ill.) papers please copy. (c)

SCHREIBER—On Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 7 a. m., after a lingering illness, Edward Schreiber, brother of the late William Schreiber, at the age of 72 years, at the residence of F. McAuliffe, 4768 Hammet place.
Member of Grand Legion Post No. 2, G. A. R. Funeral Thursday, Jan. 27, at 2 p. m.

THOMS—On Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 4:30 a. m., Mrs. Auguste Thoms, beloved mother of Richard Thoms, mother-in-law of Millie Thoms (nee Rusche), after a short illness, at the age of 61 years and 9 months.
Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 1930 Hebert street. (c3)

WHITE—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 3 a. m., Thomas H. White, beloved husband of Mary C. White (nee Mudd), father of Catherine and Thomas White.
Funeral will take place from the residence of his sister, Mrs. M. L. Harrigan, 3638 West Pine boulevard, on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 6 a. m., to Silex, Mo. (c)

WILSON—Entered into rest, after a lingering illness, on Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 4:35 a. m., John D. Wilson, beloved husband of Jane Wilson, and dear father of Mary J. Wilson, and dear brother of Mrs. Mary Hawtin and Mrs. Lizzie Chadwick, aged 78 years 11 months and 19 days.
Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 27, at 1 p. m., from family residence, 2515 McLaran avenue (Jennings, Mo.), to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Train from foot of Olive street at 10 a. m.
Tacoma (Wash.) and Chicago papers please copy. (c)

WINTER—On Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1910, at 3 a. m., Christian Winter, beloved husband of Mary Winter (nee Knepper) and father of Thomas M., Christian Winter Jr., after a brief illness, at the age of 68 years.
Funeral Friday, Jan. 28, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 5804 Prescott avenue. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. (c4)

WITHUS—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 24, 1910, at 5:30 a. m., at Pleasant Hill, Ill., Raymond Withus, beloved son of Laura K. Withus (nee Schlueter), and of the late William F. Withus, after a short illness, aged 4 years and 5 months.
Due notice of funeral later. (c)

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LEGAL NOTICES.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE—Whereas, William F. Schaefer, Charles Schaefer and Grant Straub, by their certain chattel mortgage, dated the 15th day of March, 1907, and recorded in Book P. P. 250, page 101 of the Recorder's office of the City of St. Louis, Mo., conveyed to the St. Louis Brewing Association, mortgagee, the following described personal property contained in saloon and premises 205 N. 6th st., in said city of St. Louis, Mo., to-wit: One counter, work board, back bar, large mirror, lunch counter, all lattice partitions, all glassware, railings, etc., chandeliers, fans, cash register No. 170,964, all bar utensils, one block; which mortgage was given to secure the payment of the promissory note therein described; and, whereas, default was made in the payment of said note. Now, therefore, pursuant to the provisions of said mortgage, the undersigned mortgagee will, on Saturday, the 29th day of January, 1910, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, at said premises, 205 N. 6th st., in the said city of St. Louis, Mo., sell said personal property at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said mortgage and the cost of making this sale.
ST. LOUIS BREWING ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee.
St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 22, 1910.

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Notice.

The members of St. Kevin Branch No. 90, C. K. & L. of A., will meet at the home of the financial secretary, M. J. Coffey, 3420 St. Vincent avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock to make arrangements to visit the home of our deceased brother, P. J. Quigley. All who can conveniently attend will please do so.
F. P. LEONARD, President.
J. J. KILCULLEN, Recording Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE—St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 13, 1910. To the business community of St. Louis and the public at large: The copartnership of Gahn & Herzog Candy Co. has, by mutual consent, been this day dissolved. Lawrence Gahn retains the business, assumes to pay all liabilities of the former company and is authorized to collect all outstanding accounts.

Lost and Found

IF YOU LOSE ANYTHING—Advertise it here. It will be returned to you if an honest person finds it. Remarkable recoveries are brought about every day through this column. All druggists receive Want Ads for the Post-Dispatch at office rates.

Advertisements received after 11:40 a. m. will be inserted in later editions on "Market" page.

IF YOU FIND ANYTHING bring it to the

Post-Dispatch Lost and Found Bureau. 210-212 North Broadway.

Get a claim check. Have it advertised. Reclaim it if the owner does not.

THE LAW—People who find lost articles are interested in knowing that the State Law (Section 8475 to 8480, Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1899) is strict in requiring them to seek the owners through advertisement and otherwise, and that a failure to do so, if same can be proven, involves a severe penalty.

LOST

BILL BOOK—Lost, Jan. 23, folding bill book, with $32 paper; engraved Granite City, Ill.; reward $5. E. A. W., 3941 McRee.

CARDCASE—Lost, cardcase, with ticket F. S. Skirt Co. Return to 3045½ Dickson st. and receive reward.

CROSS—Party finding gold cross, engraved May, on Leffingwell, bet. Benton and Montgomery, or on Benton, Monday; reward. 2608 N. Leffingwell.

DOG—Lost, 50-lb. brindle bulldog; answers to name of Tige. 4635 Morgan; reward. (2)

DOG—Lost, terrier; license No. 518. 3109 Bell av.; reward.

DOG—Lost, Boston brindle bulldog, answering to the name of Tige; 1 year old; reward if returned to 48 Lewis pl.

DOG—Lost, pure white female bull terrier, ears cropped; reward for return. 3036 Lucas av.

DOG COLLAR—Lost, dog collar, brass trimmings, 1910 license No. 5854; please return 4272 Evans.

DOG—Lost, collie dog, male, color sable and white; ring around neck; 4 white paws, white streak on forehead; license 3517; reward. 4024 North Market.

HANDBAG—Lost, Monday, handbag; Suburban or Taylor car; containing baby's belongings; reward. 4349 St. Louis av.

FAN—Lost, Sunday night, a ladies' fan, either near 4429 Westminster pl. or 46 Vandeventer pl. Liberal reward will be paid for return to latter address. (3)

FOB—Lost, fob with engraved gold medal. Return to R. P. G., 432 Pierce Bldg.; reward.

FUR—Lost, mink fur, Olympic Theater, Saturday matinee. Delmar 1833 or Lindell 3599; reward. (2)

FUR—Lost, mink fur, Lyric Theater, East St. Louis, Saturday night; gift of friend now dead; reward. 312 N. 13th st.

HANDBAG—Lost, between Lindell and Laclede, on Boyle av. or in Laclede or Grand cars, lady's handbag; reward. 4332 Lindell.

HORSE—Lost, bay horse, 16 hands, bald spot on forehead, wire cut on left hind leg, short mane. 3144 Cherokee. Victor 1201L.

JABOTS—Lost, two jabots and two pieces of cord, between Garland's and Barr's; reward at 5329 Cabanne av.

LOCKET—Lost, gold locket, engraved in Old English; R. A. L. on back; green stone in face; on Grand, bet. Lucky and North Market; reward. 1811 Bacon.

LOCKET—Lost, locket and chain, Saturday; monogram B. S.; reward if returned to J. V. Feldmann Dry Goods Co., 1806 S. Broadway.

PARCEL—Lost, parcel containing corset, around Union Market. Call Delmar 3579X. (c)

PASSBOOK—Lost, savings passbook 51,895 of the Mississippi Valley Trust Co. is missing; any person having a claim to it is hereby called upon to present the same in 10 days or submit to having said passbook canceled and a new one issued.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, black fold pocketbook, Sunday evening, downtown; contains Garrick Theater tickets, street car tickets, pawn ticket for watch; reward. 921 Pine.

PURSE—Lost, purse, Monday, at Barr's, main floor. Return to Barr's information bureau.

PURSE—Lost, Sunday afternoon, purse, with change and commuter's ticket between Alton and St. Louis. 312-14 Locust st.

PURSE—Lost, Sunday, Jan. 23, silver mesh purse, containing latchkey; reward. 4208 Delmar bl.; Lindell 5156. (c)

REVOLVER—Lost, bet. 4th and 12th and Market and Elm, police positive revolver, serial No. 342. Return to Central District; liberal reward. Svron. (4)

RING—Lost, ring, on Suburban car, or bet. Suburban and Hodiamont; had turquoise and 2 pearls. 5910 Minerva. (c)

RING—Liberal reward to finder of diamond ring, lost on Friday, bet. Victor and Russell, on Jefferson. Return to 2706A Russell. (3)

ROUTE BOOK—Lost, St. Louis Dairy Co. driver's route book. Return to 2008 Pine st. and receive reward. (c)

TIEPIN—Lost, tiepin, at Bijou Dream show, on Lucas av. entrance. Return G. Gardner, 2045 Adelaide, and receive reward.

WATCH—Lost, lady's gold watch and fob, Sunday; an heirloom; reward for return. 3628 Castleman av.

WATCH—Lost, lady's gold watch, with initials D. B., Sunday evening; reward. 2906 Caroline st.

WATCH—Lost, lady's watch, Saturday evening, bet. 3d and Morgan and 7th and Lucas, or on Bellefontaine car north; reward. 1113 Chambers st. (3)

FOUND

DOG—Found; taken up, dog lost by boy on car going north on 16th and Cass. Call 1606 Biddle st. (2)

KEYS—Found, keys, 6th and Washington. Call Lost and Found Bureau Post-Dis. (4)

MONEY—Found, money, in downtown district. Box K-147, Post-Dispatch.

PIN—Found, scarf pin Friday, 5800 block Cates. Call Lost and Found Bureau, Post-Dispatch. (2)

TOOL CHEST—Found, electric tool chest. Apply 7:30 p. m. at 1306 S. 8th st.

WATCH—Found, watch; owner can have same by identifying. Otto F. Beste, 915 Morrison. (2)

WATCH—Found, lady's watch; party can have same by describing and paying for ad. Box K-114, Post-Dispatch.

WOLF—Found, wolf. Call at Lost and Found Bureau Post-Dispatch. (4)

Employment Wanted

MALE

ASH HAULER—Sit. wanted, ash hauling, light express hauling, etc.; reliable, cheap. Edward Smith, 4345 Cottage.

ASSISTANT BUYER—Sit. by assistant buyer, young man; on ladies' cloaks, suits, skirts and waists; correspond with good house; good refs.; particulars given by mail. Box K-87, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BAKER—Sit. wanted by young baker, as second or third hand. O. R., 2610 Franklin av.

BAKER—Reliable, allround, steady baker wants position; city or country. Box N-47, Post-Dispatch or phone Bell Olive 4180.

BOY—Sit. wanted by reliable boy, age 15, to learn watchmaking. Box N-78, Post-Dis. (4)

BOY—Sit. by willing boy, 18, need work of any kind; call or write. 2413 N. 13th.

BOY—Sit. by boy in office or learn trade; 15 years; small wages. Box N-194, P.-D.

BOY—Sit. by boy; any reliable job; age 16. C. P., 2130 Iowa. (3)

BOY—Graduate of grammar school, having free scholarship in Manual Training School, wants employment after 3 o'clock daily to enable him to earn sufficient money to support him while at college. Box N-197, Post-Dispatch. (4)

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

BOY—Sit. wanted by honest boy of 18 years in same store or learn good trade. Box N-4, Post-Dispatch.

BUTLER—Sit. by neat young colored man, butler or housework; experienced; good references. Henry Hall, 2712 Lawton av.

CARPENTER—Sit. by young man as carpenter. Bert Longwell, 1033 Graham. (3)

CARPENTER—Sit. by good, allround carpenter, 25c per hour. Lee Carbread, 732 Kennerly.

CARPENTER—Desires sit.; experienced and capable of any kind of cabinet and carpenter work; also pattern work. Ulram, 3626A S. Broadway. (8)

CARPENTERS—2 nonunion carpenters want work; new or repair work; reasonable wages. 2219 Benton ter. Phone Benton 313. (2)

CARPENTER AND BUILDER

Wanted, position, first-class mechanic, in woodworking; willing to work; can run any job and handle men as foreman or superintendent, and well competent in making plans and specifying them; 38 years old; speak English and German; please write. Box N-71, Post-Dispatch.

CASHIER—Sit. wanted by experienced cashier in a mercantile business; first-class references given. Box R-137, Post-Dis. (62)

CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by colored chauffeur; references; 4 years' experience; terms reasonable. Victor 657.

CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by chauffeur; 6 months experience on Ford car; steady married man; terms reasonable; knows city well. Box K-22, Post-Dispatch.

CHEF—Sit. by chef; best city references of 12 years; club or hotel; city or county. Box N-69, Post-Dispatch. (c)

CLERK—Sit. wanted as clerk or bookkeeper, by a Swiss lately of Guatemala, speaking and writing German, French, English and Spanish; good references. Ad. Swiss Consul, Merchants'-Laclede Bldg., or Box O-144, Post-Dispatch. (68)

COLLECTOR—Sit. by young man as collector or salesman; hustler; ref. Box N-63, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. wanted by first-class combination cook, country preferred. Box R-85, P.-D. (2)

COUPLE—Sits. wanted by young married couple, without children; woman can cook; man as houseman; can run automobile and knows city well. George Hessler, 1436 S. 3d st. (68)

DRIVER—Sit. as driver; well acquainted in the city; speaks German and is married. Inquire at 2338 S. Broadway.

ELECTRICIAN—Sit. by electrician; practical around motors and wiring; can handle telephones. Box N-166, Post-Dispatch. (3)

ENGINEER—Sit. as engineer in electric plant out of city, by middle-aged man with best of references. Box N-25, Post-Dis. (6)

ENGINEER—Young, experienced German engineer wants to get a positoin as draftsman. Box O-30, Post-Dispatch. (3)

FARM HAND—Sit. wanted by experienced farm hand, gardener. Box N-22, P.-D. (4)

FIFTEENTH, 12 S.—Furnished rooms, with board, for men. (*)

FIREMAN—Sit. wanted by experienced fireman, stationary boiler or flats. S. B. Billups, 4048 Fairfax. (2)

FIREMAN—Sit. by a strictly sober fireman; understands Babcock and Heim boilers. Box N-188, Post-Dispatch.

FIREMAN—Sit. by allround handy man, experienced fireman and carpenter helper; wishes work of any kind. W. H., 2818 Wisconsin.

GROCERY CLERK—Sit. by good, allround grocery and saloon clerk; hard worker. Box N-121, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL CLERK—Sit. wanted, with 2 years' experience; has good references. Box N-24, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL CLERK—Sit. by experienced hotel clerk to work a few hours in family hotel of evenings and Sundays for board and room. Box B-38, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEMAN—Sit. by first-class houseman or for dining room, care for horses and cow, hot-water furnace, or hot-air or steam; ref. Ad. Anderson Day, 1314 Wash.

MACHINIST—Sit. wanted by rapid, reliable and thoroughly experienced man on maintenance and general repairing of factory machinery. Ad. Phil Wolfe, 913 Madison. (2)

MAN—Sit. by colored man to take care of places. Nace, 3914 Delmar bl.

MAN—Wants work of any kind that is honest, at living wages. J. E. W., 617 Papin st., city. (2)

MAN—Sit wanted by young man, 21; position of any kind, with some chance of advancement. Box N-105, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. by young man, 22 years of age, where he could learn to be chauffeur. Ad. J. B. W., 907 N. 16th st. (3)

MAN—Sit. by man to attend furnace, front, etc.; room and board, etc.; experienced and can give references. Box N-41, P.-D.

MAN—Young married man wants postion; wholesale house preferred, but will do other work. 1618A Carroll st.

MAN—Sit. by young married man, aged 29; outside work; can furnish own horse and buggy. Box N-3, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MAN—Sit. by sober, reliable man; care of furnace or work about place; wages reasonable. Box N-142, Post-Dispatch. (2)

MAN—Middle-aged German, single, wants work; private or boarding house; attend furnace, etc.; by day or week. Box N-195, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by man of 32, experienced in the case of demented persons, male or female, would like charge at Hot Springs. Ad. J. U. Sobye, Hot Springs, Ark. (3)

MAN—Young man, 21, has started course in architecture at Y. M. C. A. and would like position with some architect; interview any evening or Saturday afternoon. 3420 Laclede.

MAN Wtd.—Italian, 25 to 35 years of age, for porter work; must understand English, of good appearance and sober; reply in own handwriting, giving age and how employed past five years. Box N-172, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by educated, middle-aged man, married; strictly temperate; experienced salesman; also newspaper experience; good penman and correspondent. Box N-13, Post-Dispatch, or phone Forest 5522.

MAN—A competent mail-order and advertising man of 10 years' experience wants situation; can install or extend such a department in all its details. Box O-178, Post-Dispatch. (63)

MAN AND WIFE—Wanted, by reliable Protestant couple, to take charge of church; best references. Phone Tyler 1598, 2309 N. 12th st. (2)

MEATCUTTER—Young man who speaks English and German, good manager or shopman, would like good, reliable position. Keller, 1969 Alice. Central 5734.

OFFICE MAN—And correspondent, experienced, educated, wants position at once; refrences. Box O-179, Post-Dispatch. (2)

PAINTER—Sit. by steel and stack painter. 5958 Theodosia. (7)

PAINTER—Sit. as painter and paperhanger; reasonable wages. Call or ad. Painter, 4243A Finney. (2)

PAINTER—Sit. wanted by young man of 28, willing to do any kind of laboring work by the day. 4240 Vista av.

PHARMACIST—Sit. wanted by registered pharmacist; 15 years' experience; wants relief work after Feb. 1. Box R-142, P.-D. (2)

PIPEFITTER—Sit. by young married man; sober and willing to work; want some kind of employment. C. Pickett, 2669 Washington av.

SALESMAN—Young married man, good habits, desires position as city salesman; well acquainted in St. Louis; good ref. Albert Solomon, 2018¼ Carr st.

SALESMAN—Successful young salesman, energetic and forceful, seeks opening with reliable house whose interests he may faithfully serve with the assurance that merit will receive its due reward; salary or salary and commission; at present employed; any desired references. Box N-7, Post-Dispatch. (3)

SECRETARY—Sit. wanted as private secretary or bookkeeper and cashier, who can take charge of office; married man, 27 years old; 6 years in present position; references. Box N-18, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by competent stenographer; 3 years' experience; good references. Box N-5, Post-Dispatch. (3)

TOOL DRESSER—Sit. by middle-aged man as tool dresser and light blacksmith work; good ref; nonunion shop. T. S., 2206 Locust st. (4)

WATCHMAN—Sit. wanted by night watchman; good, reliable man of 45; 4 years' experience; can give good city references. 1914 S. Harrison, Sedalia, Mo. (8)

YOUNG MAN—Work by young man, 19 years old; have been soliciting and in office, but will do anything. Box N-168 P.-D. (2)

YOUNG MAN—Sit. by young man, 24 years, some office experience, would like to go in wholesale house, where there is good chance for promotion; best references. Box K-152, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

ASSISTANT—Lady wants position as assistant in dental office; 5 years' experience. Box O-77, Post-Dispatch. (2)

BOOKKEEPER—Competent, several years' experience, wishes position. Box N-27, Post-Dispatch.

CHAMBERMAID—Sit. by colored girl as chambermaid in hotel. Martha Osborn, 2224 Market.

CHAMBERMAID—Sit. by neat colored girl as chambermaid; day or night work. Ad. 3130 Lawton; phone Bomont 1106.

CHAMBERMAID—Sit. by neat colored girl, chambermaid or scrubgirl; call or ad. Estella, 3315 Manchester av.

CHOCOLATE DIPPER Wtd.—Experienced; good wages. Apply at 509 Wash st.

COOK—Sit. by neat colored woman as cook; good references. 2639 Pine.

COOK—Sit. by first-class Southern colored woman as cook; city ref. Call or write. M. H., 2217 Franklin av.

COOK—Sit. by middle-aged woman; good, plain cook; will assist with other work. 1024 N. 14th st.

COOK—Sit. by thoroughly experienced colored woman as cook or general housework; no washing. M. V. B., 2718 Wash st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by colored woman as cook or chambermaid; night or day. 2221 Chestnut st. C. Williams.

COOK—Sit. by experienced cook; first-class references. 3729 Olive. Phone Delmar 3788X.

COOK—Sit. wanted by good colored cook; will assist with housework; no laundry work. 1527 Gay st.

COOK—Sit. by colored girl; cook in private family; first-class cook; best references; call or write. 3917 Finney.

COOK—Sit. by neat, clean colored girl, fair cook, with washing or without, and cleaning; good references. Write or call 4054 Finney.

DRESSMAKER—Ladies' tailor, first-class, wishes work. Forest 8349.

DRESSMAKER—Sit. wanted, dressmaking and plain sewing done by the day. Phone Lindell 3937. (3)

FORELADY—Sit. wanted in stitching room, on men's work, in shoe factory. Box R-39, Post-Dispatch. (2)

GOVERNESS—German kindergetner wishes position as nursery governess or mother's helper. 3434 Morgan st. Phone Bomont 601.

HAIRDRESSER—Sit. by a colored girl as hairdresser or manicure, or as lady's maid. Call 2832 Laclede av. Bertha Durham. (1)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. to do general housework by colored girl. 2418 N. Pendleton.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by colored girl to assist with housework or cooking. 2116 Morgan.

HOUSEKEEPER—Country girl would like sit as housekeeper. 1143 S. 7th st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by country girl, would do housework. 1143 S. 7th st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by neat colored girl to help in light housework or nurse. Call 3346 Laclede.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by good girl for general housework or plain cooking; city references. Theresa Warren, 2325 Pine. (2)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by experienced girl to do housework and plain cooking; references. Agnes Cleary, 2629 Park.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by respectable lady as housekeeper or assistant in sick room. 3207 Olive. Central 1806R.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by white girl for general housework. 4252A Natural Bridge rd.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper, with child 4 years old; reasonable wages, with good home. 2102A Eugenia. (3)

HOUSEKEEPER—Widow with daughter of 15 wishes place as housekeeper or cook; good home. Box N-171, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEWOMAN—Sit. to do general housework or as housekeeper; $2.50 week, with child 7 years. Mrs. Rinel, 1112 Chouteau.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by working housekeeper, middle-aged woman; good plain cook; to keep house and take care of children. Box N-114, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by girl to assist with housework and children; references. Ad. Adele Peters, 3328 Greenwood bl., Maplewood, Mo. (2)

HOUSEGIRL—Colored girl wants place as house and dining room maid or nurse; a first-class worker. Phone Bomont 1741; Bertha Parkins.

HOUSEKEEPER—Widow with baby wishes position as housekeeper where there are no small children; strictly business. Call or ad. S. A. Caho, 519 East Marceau.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by refined woman as managing housekeeper in city or large ranch; is capable of assuming care of small or grown children. E. R. Bellou, 3525 Bell av. (6)

HOUSEKEEPER—A position as housekeeper or as manager for a rooming house, by a woman 30 years old, with child 4 years of age; capable and willing to work for moderate compensation; my principal object a comfortable home for myself and child. Box N-21, Post-Dispatch. (4)

LAUNDRESS—Wants small bundles to bring home. 3983 Papin.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by good colored laundress, first 3 days in week. 4149 Fairfax.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by a white woman to wash, iron; good ref. 1003 N. 16th st.

LAUNDRESS—White laundress wants washing to bring home. 4052 St. Ferdinand.

LAUNDRESS—Colored lady wants laundry work by day. Mary Smith, Central 5428. (2)

LAUNDRESS—Colored laundress wants first four days out. 2613 Wash. (2)

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by laundress to work by day or bundle washing. Susan Roberts, 1229 Baron av.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by experienced colored laundress; first 3 days in week; good ref. Bomont 2319.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored woman, Wednesday and Thursday; extra good ironer; best ref. Mrs. Green, 804 Leffingwell.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class colored laundress, Wednesday. Phone Lindell 3809L.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by young colored woman, laundry work or cleaning. Box K-128, Post-Dispatch.

LAUNDRESS—Colored laundress desires Wednesday or Thursday out; honest and respectable. Forest 7432. (3)

LAUNDRESS—Experienced, wants small bundles to bring home; give references. 4447 Lucky st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class laundress, to bring small washing home; call or write. 4326½ Maffitt av.

LAUNDRESS Wtd.—A white laundress for 2 days a week. Apply St. Regis Apartments, East Court, Apartment N.

LAUNDRESS—German woman wants place for washing, Wednesday and Thursday. Schult, 1510 S. 10th st.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing to bring home; small bundles; will go out. 2745 Shenandoah, rear.

LAUNDRESS—Laundry to take home, by first-class laundress; call or write. 1509 Pine.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by German woman to do washing, Tuesday and Wednesday. 910 Carroll.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class white laundress for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Bell Bomont 1258.

LAUNDRESS—Good white laundress wants Wednesday and Thursday out, or will take work home. 3031 Thomas.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by experienced laundress Wednesday and Thursday out or cleaning; honest and good worker. Call Bomont 2319.

LAUNDRESS—Laundry wanted by day and bundles to bring home. Phone Central 6659R.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class colored laundress, to go out by day; references; call or write. 3526 Pine.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by first-class laundress, 2 days, wash and iron, Saturday to clean; phone after 7:30 p. m., Delmar 3838R.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored woman, clean by day or laundry work. 6011 Minnesota av. (3)

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class colored laundress; wishes washing and ironing to take home; call or write. 4347 Cottage. (3)

MAID—Sit. wanted by first-class southern colored woman as maid, cook or general work; references. 3069 Finney.

MAID—Lady, 30 years old, healthy, wishes to act as maid or companion to people going to California. Box L-62, Post-Dis. (2)

MAID—Sit. as maid by neat, young colored woman; private family; for upstairs and dining-room work. R. C., 2723 Wash.

NURSEGIRL—Wants sit. Apply 524 N. Vandeventer or phone Lindell 3997.

NURSE—Sit. by experienced, middle-aged nurse, to take care of invalid. 1024A N. Vandeventer. Lindell 4762L.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by 16-year-old nursegirl or assist in light housework. 3007 N. 11th.

OUR dressmakers will make perfect-fitting tailored skirts for $1.50, waists, 50c; dresses, suits, accordingly. S. Willner & Co., 1248 S. Broadway. (8c)

SEAMSTRESS—Sit. by seamstress to go out by day; good ref. Central 8214R.

SEAMSTRESS—Sit. by widow woman to do plain sewing out by the day. 3107 Pine.

SEAMSTRESS—Sit. by experienced seamstress in private families; $1.25 per day. Box N-6, Post-Dispatch.

SEAMSTRESS—Plain sewing, mending and darning of all sorts; best references. Box R-153, Post-Dispatch. (4)

SEAMSTRESS—Sit. wanted by a competent colored seamstress to sew by the day or week. Ad. B. White, 14 N. Compton. (4)

STENOGRAPHER—Position by experienced young lady; must work. Central 972R. (2)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by young lady beginner; willing worker. Call Central 9615R.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by competent young lady with experience. Box R-119, Post-Dispatch. (3)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted; 3 years' experience; good copyist. Phones Delmar 3120, Forest 6300.

STENOGRAPHER—Neat, active young lady stenographer, beginner, desires position; begin on moderate salary. Ad. 1029 N. Taylor av.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted; 3 years' experience; general office work; moderate salary. Phones Delmar 3120, Forest 6300.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. by young lady; 2 years' experience; also some knowledge of keeping books; best references; $8 to start. Box O-17, Post-Dispatch. (2)

STENOGRAPHER—Young lady wants position with some reliable concern where there is chance for advancement; one year's experience in wholesale dry goods. Box N-80, Post-Dispatch. (4)

WOMAN—Sit. by experienced colored woman, to do office work. Phone Bomont 1290.

WOMAN—Wants any kind of work from 7:30 to 11:30 a. m. each day, or Wednesday and Thursday. 5233 Alabama.

WOMAN—Sit. by reliable colored woman to do general housework in private family. Call or write 4060A Evans.

WOMAN—Sit. by good woman to go out few hours every day, housework or dishwashing. 4138 Fairfax.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by respectable white woman; would like workingmen's washing and mending to do. Mrs. Schwaner, 1007 Howard.

WOMAN—Honest and willing inexperienced lady wants good position in laundry, sewing, ironing or demonstrating, with chance of promotion. Address 3435 Tennessee.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by competent, experienced stenographer secretary, capable filling high-class position, where quality of workmanship and trustworthiness figure more than quantity. 4235 St. Louis. (3)

Help Wanted

MALE

BAKER Wtd.—Third hand baker. 6603 Michigan.

BAKER Wtd.—Good second-hand baker; come ready to work. 4044 N. Grand.

BARBER Wtd.—Young, steady; board and room. 3604 N. 11th. Phone Tyler 898.

BARBER Wtd.—Steady man. 2247 S. Grand.

BARBER Wtd.—Must be first-class workman, married preferred; guarantee $12 per week and 65 per cent. Address P. O. Box 573, Grayville, Ill. (4)

BENCH HANDS Wtd.—First-class bench and machine hands; and one good man to lay out sash doors and store front work; to work in first-class planing mill; good wages. Box E-120, Post-Dispatch. (8c)

BENCH HAND Wtd.—First-class bench hand for high-grade mill work, stairs and cabinets; only such; highest wages and bright future to the right man. Write us. Joplin Sash and Door Works, Joplin, Mo. (c4)

BLACKSMITH Wtd.—Oklahoma; $3 to $3.50 day; free pass. Apply 5 8th st.

BLACKSMITH HELPER Wtd.—King's highway and Old Manchester rd. (3)

BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—First-class bookkeeper for wholesale house; one having knowledge of groceries and liquors preferred; must have good reference. Box N-32, P.-D.

BOY Wtd.—For errands; $5 week. Newberg, 245 Pierce Bldg.

BOY Wtd.—To strip tobacco; must be over 14. 1207 Chouteau.

BOY Wtd.—To learn horseshoeing. 1115 N. 17th st.

BOY Wtd.—For office work and errands; bright, honest and willing worker; give references. Box E-145, P.-D. (c)

BOY Wtd.—Good boy to make himself generally useful about store. Athletic Tea Co., 711 Lucas av. (c)

BOY Wtd.—Strong boy to deliver orders and care for horses; bring references. Meat market, 4300 Laclede.

BOY—Sit. wanted by boy, 16 years; can operate switchboard and do other office work; speaks German. Box F-175, Post-Dis.

BOY Wtd.—By wholesale machinery house to run errands and office work. Box E-97, Post-Dispatch. (c6)

BOY Wtd.—With some experience, for a light third hand for bakery. 1914 Franklin av.

BOY Wtd.—To sweep and dust and make himself generally useful. Jacob Haas, 8th floor Model Bldg. (c)

BOY Wtd.—Colored, boy, 16, work about house; must live in walking distance. 4568 Page bl.

BOY Wtd.—Bright boy to work in drug store, $4 week; state age and references. Box G-166, Post-Dispatch. (3)

BOY Wtd.—Bright boy, 16 years old, for office work, in large manufacturing establishment; must have some educational advantages and be a good penman. Box E-149, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BRICKLAYERS Wtd.—And hod carriers, at 2221 Locust st.

BUSBOY Wtd.—2307 Washington.

BUTLER Wtd.—Competent butler; references required. Apply 5122 Westminster pl.

CARRIAGE PAINTER Wtd.—Good carriage painter. Peter Wagner, 3400 S. Broadway.

CARRIAGE WORKER Wtd.—Good carriage and wagon woodworker; references. J. F. Hopkins, Waco, Tex. (4)

CARRIAGE TRIMMERS Wtd.—Three experienced men to build buggy tops. The Banner Buggy Co., Main and Rutger. (c2)

CIGAR MAKERS Wtd.—Bunch breakers, male or female. Tucker Cigar Co., 1239 S. Broadway.

CLERK Wtd.—First-class man for R. R. billing in large commercial office, East St. Louis; must be good penman and rapid. Box K-191, Post-Dispatch. (c)

COLLECTOR Wtd.—Experienced young man wanted for collector, installment house; bond required. 910 S. 4th st.

COLLECTOR Wtd.—An energetic man of good address, collect for old-line insurance company; must furnish local references; weekly salary paid. D. J. Blake, superintendent, 3028 Washington. (c2)

COMPOSITORS Wtd.—Buschart Bros. Printing Co., 1522 Locust. (c)

COMPOSITORS Wtd.—First-class; nonunion; answer, giving references. Box E-152, Post-Dispatch. (c4)

COOK Wtd.—Colored man cook; answer by letter. 4267 Delmar.

COREMAKERS Wtd.—For medium-weight oil sand cores; apply at once. Curtis & Co. Mfg. Co., Wellston P. O. (c4)

CYLINDER PRESSMAN Wtd.—Nonunion; one experienced on color work; references required; good wages and steady employment. Box E-151, Post-Dispatch. (c4)

DENTIST Wtd.—Allround, registered dentist to take charge of the late Dr. H. L. Harnden's practice. Apply 1332 Franklin.

DIEMAKER Wtd.—Experienced diemaker on can dies. 1923 Benton. (c)

DISHWASHER Wtd.—Come ready for work. 717 Chouteau.

FINISHER Wtd.—On first-class custom coats; also make buttonholes. 19 N. 10th, between Market and Chestnut.

GARMENT WORKER Wtd.—Good, allround, ready-made garment worker (card man); must be qualified to work in any department; special inducement for the right man. Box E-153, Post-Dispatch. (c4)

HOUSEMAN Wtd.—Colored. 5159 Morgan.

HOUSEBOY Wtd.—Good houseboy. 5185 Lindell; phone Forest 2026.

HOUSEMAN Wtd.—Experienced houseman and coachman; must have references. 5177 Raymond.

HOUSEMAN Wtd.—Tend to furnace, wash dishes, handy in kitchen; must be sober and industrious; reliable; must have references, if not don't call. Albany Hotel, 4873 Page bl.

JEWELRY JOBBERS WANTED.
HESS & CULBERTSON JEW. CO.,
7TH AND ST. CHARLES. (c4)

LABORERS Wtd.—25 laborers; Spring av. and Forest Park bl. E. Whelan. (2)

LABORERS Wtd.—30 sewer laborers; Morganford rd. and Gravois. John O'Leary. (2)

LABORER Wtd.—Experienced laborer for planing mill dept. Apply M. A. Heimann, 1810 S. 13th st. (c)

MACHINIST Wtd.—Must be first-class lathe hand; bring references. 214 Locust st.

MAN Wtd.—Chore man, furnace, horse; call today. Hilton place, Berry rd., Glendale.

MAN Wtd.—Young man experienced in drug business. Apply 2601 Olive st.

MAN Wtd.—About 40 years old, to work in restaurant. 4113 Easton.

MAN Wtd.—In grocery and meat market, with $200; good chance. Tyler 1968.

MAN Wtd.—Young man to work in bakery. 2132 Mullanphy. (c)

MAN Wtd.—Strong young man for packing room; must have reference. 320 N. 3d st.

MAN Wtd.—Reliable colored man to tend to horses and cow. Apply 469 Lee av., Webster Groves. Phone Benton 432. (c)

MAN Wtd.—Experienced colored man, house and dining room work; boarding house; $5. 3001 Morgan st.

MAN Wtd.—Young man with some knowledge of stationery business. Spalding Stationery Co., 924 Olive st.

MAN Wtd.—Young man, 16 to 17, with some experience in drug store, Delmar and Taylor.

MAN—Young man, 19 years, with good education, wants position as clerk; quick and accurate at figures; also have knowledge of bookkeeping. Box N-79, Post-Dispatch.

MAN Wtd.—Colored man who can give bond or at least first-class references, to act as janitor of tenement building; free rent; can easily hold another position. Box N-190, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MAN Wtd.—Man in wallpaper business, sober and wideawake; experience not necessary; will pay $3 per day; must invest some money in business. Shop, 1025 St. Alphonsus; Delmar 2009R.

MAN AND WIFE Wtd.—Young man and wife to take care of horse and buggy, furnace, lawn, etc.; woman to do housework; must be good cook and come recommended. Box K-164, Post-Dispatch.

MARKER Wtd.—For wholesale house, experienced marker, one who understands marking boxes with brush. Box N-10, Post-Dispatch.

MECHANIC Wtd.—Automobile mechanic to do odd jobs at night in owner's private garage, located in the West End. Box E-144, Post-Dispatch. (c)

MEN AND TEAMS Wtd.—Wednesday morning. Flora court and Grand av.

MEN Wtd.—Able-bodied men for the U. S. Marine Corps, between the ages of 19 and 35; must be native born or have first papers; monthly pay $15 to $69; additional compensation possible; feed, clothing, quarters and medical attendance free; after 30 years' service can retire with 75 per cent of pay and allowance; service on board ship and ashore in all parts of the world. Apply at Dome, Postoffice, 8th and Olive, or 1719 Market st., St. Louis, Mo. (8c)

OFFICE BOY Wtd.—9 to 14 years, to address envelopes, run errands, etc. Call 314 Rialto Bldg.

PAPERHANGER Wtd.—Will exchange painless dentistry for paperhanging. Call 618 Olive st., 2d floor. (c)

PAVERS AND WHEELERS Wtd.—Broadway and De Soto. Gilsonite Construction Co.

PORTER Wtd.—At 19 S. 7th st.

PRESSFEEDERS Wtd.—At James MacCallum's, 3737 N. Broadway.

PRESSFEEDER Wtd.—Job pressfeeder. Hellmich Bros., 210 Washington av.

PRESSHANDS Wtd.—And riveters. Apply Northwestern Mail Box Co., 5027 McKissock av. (c)

PRINTER Wtd.—Opening for competent, sober man; wages and board. Call 1521 Hickory.

SHOVELERS Wtd.—25 shovelers; highest wages paid. 1607 Washington, 2301 Lucas. Jacob Schaefer, 4018 Easton. (c)

SEWING Wtd.—Plain sewing, mending and darning of all kinds; best references. Box R-153, Post-Dispatch. (2)

TAILOR Wtd.—Custom tailor. Lappin, 622 Locust, 4th floor, room 17.

TEAMSTERS Wtd.—For dirt wagons. Call 6 and 7 p. m., rear 3205 S. 7th st.

TEAMS Wtd.—25 teams; highest wages paid. 1607 Washington, 2301 Lucas. Jacob Schaefer, 4018 Easton. (c)

TOOL AND DIEMAKER Wtd.—Swedish preferred; must be high-grade workman; sober and willing to move west of St. Louis. Box E-143, Post-Dispatch. (c3)

VALET Wtd.—Man accustomed to waiting on gentlemen; must be good presser and of strictly sober habits; state salary expected and give reference for past three years. Box E-147, Post-Dispatch. (c)

WASHER Wtd.—Automobile washer and polisher. Central Garage, 12th and Chestnut. (c2)

WOODWORKERS Wtd.—Carriage and wagon woodworkers on bodies. Apply to McCabe, Powers Carriage Co., 1215 N. Broadway. (2c)

SHOEWORKERS WANTED

BOY Wtd.—For drug store. 700 Chouteau.

BOYS Wtd.—Set and pull tacks. Wertheimer-Swarts Shoe Co., 20th and Chestnut sts.

BOYS Wtd.—To cement channels by machine. Goodbar Shoe Mfg. Co., Laclede and Vandeventer, makers of American Beauty shoes.

BOTTOM SANDER Wtd.—On men's work. Burrows-Jones-Dyer, 21st and Lucas. (c)

BURNISHER Wtd.—Bottom burnisher. Carruthers-Jones Shoe Co., 2840 N. Spring. (c)

LASTERS Wtd.—Second lasters on turn work. Roberts, Johnson & Rand, Hickory and Mississippi. (c)

INSEAMERS Wtd.—Experienced on ladies' fine turns; good pay and steady work. Friedman-Shelby Shoe Co., Atlantic Factory, 3417 Locust. (c6)

PULLER-OVER Wtd.—On McKay work. Sunlight Factory, 8th and Marion. (c)

SHOE WORKERS, ATTENTION—All shoe workers are invited to attend open meeting, Thursday evening, Jan. 27, 8 p. m., hall 7, Fraternal Bldg., 11th and Franklin av. Geo. W. Disney, organizer Boot and Shoe Workers' International Union. (4)

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS Wtd.—Either sex, to sell best photo ticket; $5 daily easily made. Olive Studio, 720 Olive st. (8c)

AGENTS Wtd.—$5 a day by selling our wash-day set; 15 articles 31; agents 50c. New Era Mfg. Co., Milwaukee, Wis. (62)

AGENTS Wtd.—We have an article that will sell easily at this time of the year; you can reap a harvest; sample free. Mellor Supply Co., Sedalia, Mo. (c)

AGENTS Wtd.—Live agents to sell the easiest selling lot proposition on Gulf Coast of Texas; deep water assured; special inducements to high-class salesmen who can handle subs. Sartain & Montgomery, Moore Bldg., San Antonio, Tex. (3)

ASK ME how you can start a profitable mail order business at home evenings. Heacock, 1008, Lockport, N. Y. (8)

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS

CANVASSERS Wtd.—Lady canvassers for lace curtains, on weekly payments; salary. Box O-53, Post-Dispatch. (2)

CANVASSERS Wtd.—To sell Eclipse wringers; wagons furnished; expenses guaranteed. 704 N. 7th st. (4)

CANVASSERS Wtd.—Six men, not too tired to work; sell goods on easy payments; we furnish wagons; salary or commission. Thornton, 1108 Locust st. (2)

SOLICITOR Wtd.—A young man to do soliciting; call after 7 p. m. 7409 Michigan.

SOLICITORS Wtd.—Insurance solicitors, sick, accident, disability and old age benefits; call forenoon. 2902 Washington. (62)

SOLICITOR Wtd.—Lady solicitor to sell an entirely new article; leather portieres; salary and commission; only experienced solicitors need apply. Box N-23, Post-Dis.

PARTNERS WANTED

PARTNER Wtd.—Experienced newspaper man with $3000. 18 Allen Bldg.

PARTNER Wtd.—Man who can give money or bond, to buy out an old-established fur business. Box N-74, Post-Dispatch.

PARTNER Wtd.—With little money, to market useful novelty; snap; profits unlimited. Address W. L. N., 3547 Laclede.

PARTNER Wtd.—Hustler with $100 and his services, at once; big money; straight proposition; if looking for something just call and investigate. Room 206 New Barnum Hotel.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN Wtd.—Soliciting salesmen. Room 216 Merchants-Laclede Bldg. (8c)

SALESMAN Wtd.—To sell printing; good commission. Box E-146, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMAN Wtd.—City and road; position will pay $100 a month; bond and A1 references required. 616 Laclede Bldg. (c68)

SALESMAN Wtd.—Good automobile salesman, to sell cars, on commission. Central Garage Co., 12th and Chestnut. (c6)

SALESMEN Wtd.—Three specialty salesmen for high-grade, profitable proposition, at once. Call 9 a. m., room 201 Metropolitan Bldg., Grand av. and Olive st. (c)

SALESMEN Wtd.—Experienced furniture salesmen; must have excellent references. Apply superintendent's office, Grand-Leader. (c)

SALESMEN Wtd.—Two salesmen for office, factory and home; canvass with our line of sample diamonds, 50c to $1 per week payments. Smith's Credit Jewelry Co., 514 Washington av. (c)

SALESMAN Wtd.—Wide-awake, aggressive man, not afraid of competition and capable of securing high-class business for reliable firm paying big compensation to capable man; splendid future to competent salesman. Box N-39, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN Wtd.—A few high-grade salesmen for the American Technical Society's new publication, Cyclopedia of Commerce, Accountancy and Business Administration, in 10 volumes; just off the press; price only $34, including one year's service of the consulting department; this work is destined to be one of the big sellers of the publishing world; liberal contract for salesmen. 303 Wainwright Bldg. (c)

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMAN Wtd.—Salary and commission for first-class man in St. Louis and to travel in Missouri, appoint agents and sell the Aetna Life's new insurance policy, covering every condition of life, disability, sickness, accident; rates lower; pay big. J. W. Estes, manager, 301 Missouri Trust Bldg. (c)

SALESMEN Wtd.—For established coffee and tea routes, in Illinois and Missouri; a good opportunity for married men with retail grocery experience; salary and commission to neat-appearing men of ability; positions good from $20 to $25 per week; also a few solicitors. Jewell Tea Co., 3400 Lindell av. (c)

SALESMAN Wtd.—High-class salesman, ambitious, for highly remunerative position, with tact, persistency and sufficient business ability to deal successfully with large firms; travel and sell merchants in good territory; attractive pay and permanent position. Call or write 1112 Chemical Bldg.

SALESMEN Wtd.—Everywhere, sell our natural method postage stamp affixer, no lick, nostal celebrated kanterase inks, just patented; every demonstration sells; good commission; call Wednesday. Noonan, exclusive agent, 505 Merchants' Exchange; stamp for particulars.

ASK ME how you can start a profitable mail order business at home evenings. Heacock, 1008, Lockport, N. Y. (8)

LEARN salesmanship; earn $1600 to $5000 per year; we furnish students positions where they can earn $100 per month while studying. Practical School of Salesmanship, New Haven, Conn. (c)

MEN Wtd.—Two men of good address and fine physical development for local representatives; men familiar with Bernarr McFadden's or similar method preferred; positions permanent and pay good money; call with ref. at 9 a. m. J. F. Davis, special representative of United Schools of Physical Culture of New York, 1127 Pine st., 1st floor. (c)

YOUNG MAN Wtd.—A young man over 25, of good address, to act first as salesman, then as manager; no experience in our particular line necessary if you have the qualifications of a salesman and are willing to learn; good compensation from start. 303 Wainwright Bldg. (c)

TRADE SCHOOLS AND AGENCIES

LADIES Wtd.—To learn hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, electrolysis or chiropody; thoroughly practical training by free clinic and careful instructions; tools given; some money earned from start; positions waiting when competent; few weeks completes; call or write. Moler College, 1110 Pine st. (4)

MEN Wtd.—To prepare for railway mail examinations; commencement salary $800; preparation free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 173L, Rochester, N. Y. (9)

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

ADRESSER Wtd.—Thoroughly experienced lady to address wrappers; must give first-class references. Brokaw Merchandise Co., 27 S. Main. (c)

APPRENTICE Wtd.—18 to 20; experienced. John Herr Floor Co., 1818 Olive st. (c)

ASSORTER Wtd.—Experienced assorter. Anchor Laundry, 2019 Lucas av. (c)

BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—Lady bookkeeper, at Maurer's meat market, 1402 Market st.

FOXING STITCHERS Wtd.—Goodbar Shoe Mfg. Co., Laclede and Vandeventer, makers of American Beauty shoes.

CHAMBERMAID Wtd.—Colored. Metropolitan Hotel, 1829 Market st.

CLERK Wtd.—Young lady; salary $30 per month. Box E-148, Post-Dispatch. (c)

COOK Wtd.—In lunchroom. 710 N. 15th.

COOK Wtd.—Experienced. Call at 4150 Washington bl.

COOK Wtd.—White woman. Harris restaurant, 3003 Olive.

COOK Wtd.—German-American, with references. 2124 S. Compton av.

COOK Wtd.—Experienced girl for cook and assist with housework. 4264 West Pine.

COOK Wtd.—Woman, for lunchstand. Apply 1408 Clark.

COOK Wtd.—Call Wednesday morning; refs. 3741 Washington bl.

COOK Wtd.—And general housework. 6153 Kingsbury bl., telephone Forest 5127.

COOK Wtd.—Good colored cook; apply at side door. 4496 Laclede.

COOK Wtd.—Good cook, family of two; first-class refs. required. Apply at once. Apartment A, St. Regis, Lindell and King's highway.

DEMONSTRATOR Wtd.—Lady of refinement to demonstrate high-class specialty. Box N-43, Post-Dispatch.

DEMONSTRATORS Wtd.—Neat-appearing, industrious ladies for steady work; salary and commission. 216-217 Vanol Bldg., Olive and Vandeventer. (c6)

DEMONSTRATOR Wtd.—A first-class, competent lady demonstrator for demonstrating both gas and electric appliances; must furnish good reference. St. Clair County Gas and Electric Co., Belleville, Ill. (c3)

EYELETTER Wtd.—On lady's work. Peter Shoe Co., Jefferson and St. Louis. (c)

FEATHER CURLERS Wtd.—Experienced. Apply 3d floor, Rosenthal-Sloan, 1015 Washington. (c)

FINAL EXAMINERS.

Steady work; good wages; pay by the week.

Also Experienced Operators

For Union Special Yoke machines; good pay, steady work.
RICE-STIX SHIRT FACTORY,
1438 O'Fallon st. (c8)

FREE INSTRUCTION—And positions guaranteed to skillful workers in our dressmaking department. Fourth floor, Wm. Barr Co. (8c)

GIRL Wtd.—In coffee house. 2816 S. 2d st.

GIRL Wtd.—Young girl to help dressmaker. 346 Maple av.

GIRL Wtd.—For coffee house; easy job. Apply 1821 S. 2d st.

GIRLS Wtd.—To sew on custom coats. Apply 105 N. 8th st., third floor. (3)

GIRLS Wtd.—To learn the ostrich feather business; paid while learning. 4000 Olive.

GIRL Wtd.—To work in bakery and coffee house. 506 Market.

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced girls to label bottles. Apply 219 Pine st.

GIRLS Wtd.—To pin lace curtains; experienced; also girls to learn; steady work. 5102 Delmar bl. (c)

GIRLS Wtd.—To paste tickets on dress goods samples; must be experienced. Call at 1213 Washington av., 5th floor. (c)

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced girls to make hand-fold envelopes. Hesse Envelope Co., 501 N. 1st st. (c)

GIRLS Wtd.—50 girls to pick cracked pecans; work is easy and good wages can be made. 1531 Morgan st. (c2)

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced girls to make underwear. Apply to Sol Kurlander, 6th floor Wm. Barr Co. (c8)

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced in carriage trimming shop preferred. Northeast corner 3d and Chouteau av. (c)

GIRLS Wtd.—Neat, wide-awake kitchen girls. Apply chef, Southern Hotel, Elm st. gate. (c)

GIRLS Wtd.—Or boys, in printing department. Radermacher Printing Co., 200 N. 3d st. (c)

GIRL Wtd.—Neat, experienced girl for dining-room and chamber work. D'Arlee Hotel, Morgan and Walton.

GIRLS Wtd.—Not over 20 years old, to learn sewing on ladies' muslin underwear; good pay to steady girls. Apply 6th floor, Aresco Mfg. Co., 11th and St. Charles. (c7)

GIRL Wtd.—For light housework, age 25 or 30; family of two; also place for the right party. Telephone Lindell 2357 or call 2841 West Belle pl.

GIRLS WANTED

To learn sewing on shirtwaists; easy to learn; excellent future; permanent position; $4 to $6 while learning.
OLIAN BROS., 717 Lucas av. (c8)

GIRLS Wtd.—Ely-Walker Shirt Co., 16th and Locust or 8th and Hickory. (8c)

GIRLS Wtd.—A few bright girls, over 18 years of age, to learn shirt ironing and finishing on new work; positively steady work; good chance for advancement; apprentices paid while learning; experienced operators earn from $9 to $12 per week; can also use three girls over 16 years of age to work about laundry. Ferguson-McKinney shirt factory, laundry department, 1349 Madison st. (c8)

GIRL Wtd.—Cashier, girl to operate No. 400 National Cash register; must also be good wrapper and have several years' experience. WERNER & WERNER, on Locust st. at Sixth.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework, washing; small family. 1100 N. Taylor.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; no washing; ref. 5873 Cates av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Young girl to help with housework; go home at night. 3218A Pape.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A good girl for general housework. 5119 Cabanne av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced, for general housework; in flat. [illegible]

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat young colored housegirl today. 5736 Clemens.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Colored girl for general housework. Apply 5750 Vernon av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework; private family. 3125 Russell.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework. 4139 Magnolia. Victor 1390. (c)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced housegirl; white; in small family; no washing; good wages. 5602 Von Versen av. (2)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A good German servant girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. Apply 3708 S. Broadway. (c4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced colored girl for general housework; good pay; light work. 4317 Kossuth av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework; must be good cook; references. 3651 Eads or phone Grand 891. (c)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; in flat; small family; with reference. 4721 Washington bl. (c)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat, reliable white girl for general housework; small family. 2819 S. King's highway. (c4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for general housework; family of two; good wages. 4332 Lindell bl.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For housework; good home and good wages. 3206 Sullivan av., corner Garrison.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Competent; for general housework; only 2 in family. 5580 Maple. (3)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—An experienced white girl for general housework. 1470 College av., East St. Louis. (c)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; 3 in family; German preferred. 5423 Cabanne.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Elderly lady for general housework for county; German preferred. Box K-148, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for light housekeeping; aged 15 or 16 years. 5100 Florissant.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat colored girl for general housework; can go home nights. 1391 Hamilton av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good, reliable German girl for general housework; good cook. Forest 8552. 525 Clara, 2d floor south.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat girl for general housework; go home nights. 4816 Washington bl. (4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; small family; salary $18; references required. 4950 Labadie.

HOUSEGIRLS Wtd.—Two girls for general housework; permanent; apply at once. 2832 Locust.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—White girl for general housework in small family. Phone Forest 4835, or apply 5223A Morgan. (3)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—German girl for general housework; family of 2; ref. 6181 Washington. (c)

HOUSEWOMAN Wtd.—Middle-aged lady for housework; good home and reasonable salary. 3312 Texas av. (c4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for general housework in small family; good wages. 5424 Page bl. (2)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For housework, in bakery, to sleep on premises. Call 713 Chouteau av. (3)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—White girl for general housework and cooking, for young couple without children; steam-heated apartment. 367 Boyle av. Mrs. Frisch.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for general housework; 2 in family; no washing; ref. 4961 McPherson, Apartment A. Forest 5676. (c)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—White girl for general housework; must be good cook. Apply before 5 o'clock this afternoon. 3953 Westminster pl.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; one who can cook; German or Hungarian preferred. 2916 Michigan av. Victor 2111L. (c)

HOUSEKEEPER Wtd.—Colored lady as housekeeper; must furnish reference; good salary and home in country. Box N-29, Post-Dispatch. (3)

INSPECTOR Wtd.—In fitting room. Goodbar Shoe Mfg. Co., Laclede and Vandeventer.

IRONER Wtd.—Plain colthes ironer, in laundry. Moser Hotel. 809 Pine st. (c)

LAUNDRESS Wtd.—Colored; references required. 3886 West Pine bl. (c)

LAUNDRESS Wtd.—First-class, for Monday and Tuesday; city references required. 567C Cabanne av.

MILLINERS Wtd.—Experienced, to trim ladies' hats; best wages paid in the city. S. Haas, 19th and Pine sts. (c3)

MILLINERY APPRENTICES Wtd.—Apply before 10 a. m. to Supt. at B. NUGENT & BRO. D. G. Co., Broadway and Washington.

NURSEGIRL Wtd.—Not over 15; for two walking children. 4496 Laclede.

NURSE Wtd.—French nurse for children. Telephone Bell Hanley 164A. (4)

NURSE Wtd.—For next 7 weeks, to take care of walking child; easy position. Call 4036 Westminster pl. (c)

OFFICE ASSISTANTS Wtd.—Lady office assistants; those operating typewriter preferred; state age, refs. and salary wanted. Box Y-63, Post-Dispatch. (8c)

OPERATOR Wtd.—Operator on button and buttonhole machines. 2301 N. 11th st. (c)

OPERATORS Wtd.—Two experienced operators, for hemming, and two for negligee front making, at steady work and good pay. The Paul E. Wolff Shirt Co., 815 Washington av. (c)

OPERATORS Wtd.—Girls, 16 and over, to learn sewing on ladies' muslin underwear; paid well while learning; competent instructors and advanced with progress made in learning. Apply Ely-Walker, muslin factory, 16th and Washington, 7th floor, annex. (c62)

OPERATORS Wtd.—Experienced operators in our daylight factory; we can use 5 joiners, 2 neckband makers, 5 girls to put on cuffs, 2 hemmers and 10 girls willing to learn sewing on power machine; paid while learning; steady work guaranteed. Ferguson-McKinney, 1807 Chouteau av. (c4)

OPERATORS Wtd.—Experienced operators, power machines to make ladies' white lawn shirt waists; steady work; experienced operators can make from $9 to $10 per week. Apply Premier Shirt Waist Co. 611 N. Broadway, 4th floor. (3)

OVERALL MAKERS Wtd.—100 overall and coat makers at our new factory, 18th and Pine sts. Red Diamond Clothing Co. (c3)

PINNERS Wtd.—Lace curtain pinners, washers and girls to learn. 4232 Olive.

SAMPLE MAKERS Wtd.—On silk dresses; good pay. N. Magid & Co., 1324 Washington av. (c)

SEAMSTRESS Wtd.—As helper to dressmaker. 4154 McPherson.

SEAMSTRESSES Wtd.—Girls; plain sewing on children's dresses and dressing sacques, power machine; steady work. 2818 Gamble.

SKIRTMAKERS Wtd.—First-class, and helpers on coats. Adams Ladies' Tailoring, 1147 Union.

SHIRTMAKERS

On all parts, also girls to learn; paid week work or piece work while learning.
THE NEW ERA SHIRT FACTORY, 901 Lucas av. (c3)

SHIRTMAKERS WANTED

Experienced sewing machine operators for shirt making on all parts; we are especially in need of 3 hemmers, 2 joiners, 6 sleeve makers, 1 Union Special feller, 3 cuff makers and 4 girls to put on cuffs; to competent operators we guarantee steady work and best wages; we will also take a few bright girls over 16 years of age to learn sewing.
FERGUSON-McKINNEY SHIRT FACTORY, 2309 Madison st. (c2)

SHIRTMAKERS WANTED

5 neckband makers, 5 cuff makers, 12 front makers, 5 yokers, 2 girls to sew on labels, 5 sleeve makers, 2 hemmers, 3 joiners, 3 girls to sew on cuffs, 2 girls to sew in sleeves, 2 fellers, 10 girls to sew on neckbands.

ALSO GIRLS TO LEARN

ELY & WALKER SHIRT FACTORY, 7th floor, 16th and Washington, or 8th and Hickory. (c2)

SHIRTMAKERS Wtd.—Ely-Walker Shirt Factory. 16th and Washington. 7th floor. (c3)

SHIRTMAKERS Wtd.—High-speed machines; steady work; good pay. Meyer & Goessling. 717 N. 11th. (c6)

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—A young lady; no objection to a beginner. Box K-119, P.-D.

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—Experienced young female stenographer. Box N-19, P.-D.

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—Young lady stenographer to assist bookkeeper; state experience and salary wanted. Box K-153, P.-D.

WAITRESS Wtd.—At once. 813 N. Vandeventer av.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced; steady work. [illegible] Olive st.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced. Star Cafe, 1808 Olive.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Colored girl to wait on table in restaurant. 27 N. Jefferson.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced arm waitress, at once. 702 N. 7th st.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced. 1711 Market st.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced arm waitress and dinner girl. Julier Restaurant, [illegible] N. 9th st. (c)

WAITRESS Wtd.—Must be experienced and willing to work. Cowman's Lunchroom, [illegible] Olive st.

WAITRESS Wtd.—For dinner work; must be experienced. Call 411 N. 7th st. Silver Grill Restaurant. (c)

WAITRESSES Wtd.—[illegible]

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WOMAN Wtd.—Good, reliable colored woman for general housework. 1362 Burd av.

WOMAN Wtd.—A good woman to help with pastry work; no Sunday work. 315 Pine. (c)

WOMAN Wtd.—German woman to assist in housework; more for home than wages. 2920 Chippewa st. (3)

WOMAN Wtd.—Strong, industrious white woman, residing in neighborhood Grand and Easton; housework, 7 to 12 daily; small family; references required. Box N-186, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN Wtd.—Well-known firm wants refined, practical woman; must be able to meet and talk with the best class of people in the city; permanent position; good pay; apply at once by letter. Box E-81, Post-Dispatch. (c67)

WAIST AND DRESSMAKERS

Also a few learners; large wages earned with a little experience; steady work.
N. FRIEDMAN & SONS, 13th and Washington av. (c2)

YOUNG GIRL Wtd.—To learn dressmaking and help with housework. 909A N. Taylor.

SALESLADIES, ETC.

SALESLADIES Wtd.—Experienced in confectionery store; reference required. Box K-37, Post-Dispatch. (c6)

SHOEWORKERS WANTED

HAND FOLDERS Wtd.—Burrows-Jones-Dyer, 21st and Lucas. (c4)

PACKER Wtd.—Experienced packer, middle-aged woman preferred. Carruthers-Jones Shoe Co., 2840 N. Spring. (c2)

SKIVER Wtd.—Goodbar Shoe Mfg. Co., Laclede and Vandeventer, makers of American Beauty shoes.

TIP REPAIRERS Wtd.—Patent leather tip repairers on men's work Burrows-Jones-Dyer, 21st and Lucas. (c)

TOP STITCHERS Wtd.—Fox stitchers, tip stitchers, pocket stitchers, Congress stitchers, backstrapper, Val. vamper, allround stitchers on heavy work. Apply Full Value Plant, Glasgow and North Market. (c3)

VAMPER Wtd.—On ladies' shoes. Carruthers-Jones Shoe Co., 2840 N. Spring. (c)

VAMPER Wtd.—Experienced vamper on ladies' fine shoes. Peters Shoe Co., St. Louis and Jefferson. (c)

VAMPERS Wtd.—Experienced vampers on ladies' fine shoes. Friedman-Shelby Shoe Co., Atlantic Factory, 3417 Locust. (c3)

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED

FINISHERS Wtd.—10 experienced finishers on new work; steady work and good prices guaranteed to those knowing their business; also 20 girls over 18 years to learn shirt finishing; paid while learning. Ferguson-McKinney, 1807 Chouteau. (c2)

IRONER Wtd.—Experienced body ironer. Western Laundry Co., 1211 S. 7th st. (c8)

IRONER Wtd.—Experienced neck-band ironer, on roll machine; apply today. 2310 Washington. Munger's laundry.

IRONERS Wtd.—4 experienced bosom ironers, steady work and good pay; experienced operators make $12 per week and more. Ely & Walker Shirt factory, 8th and Hickory sts. (c2)

MANGLE GIRLS Wtd.—Two. Latta-Hord Laundry Co., 3301 Bell av.

OPERATORS Wtd.—One experienced operator for 3-board bosom press; 2 for B & E. 2-board bosom press and 6 experienced shirt finishers on new shirts; to competent operators we guarantee steady work and best wages; we will also take a few bright girls over 18 years of age to learn finishing. Ferguson-McKinney Shirt Factory, 2309 Madison. (c2)

SHIRT FINISHER Wtd.—Colonial Laundry, 4620 Olive st. (c)

SHIRT FINISHERS Wtd.—Two experienced shirt finishers on new work only; we guarantee steady and good-paying work. The Paul E. Wolff Shirt Co., 815 Washington av. (c)

STARCHER Wtd.—Rough-dry starcher. Century Laundry Co., 4666 Easton. (c)

STARCHERS Wtd.—Experienced. Superior Laundry, 1745 S. 18th st. (c)

STARCHERS Wtd.—Collar and cuff starchers. Apply Leader Laundry Co., 2315 Texas. (c)

Rooms and Board

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

BOARD AND ROOM Wtd.—Couple and boy; private family; must be reasonable. 419 Victoria Bldg.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By two young men, west of Taylor; Page car; private family; state particulars. Box N-28, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—For refined couple, west of King's highway; private family preferred. Box N-108, Post-Dis.

BOARD AND ROOM Wtd.—By young man; letters stating what you have to offer and what other boarders you have will be given consideration. Box N-37, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

BAYARD, 706—One furnished room. Call at store. (3)

BIDDLE, 2115—Furnished front room, with kitchen, 2d floor, housekeeping; $2 and $2.50; 1 week free. (3)

BROADWAY, 107 N.—Furnished rooms, for gentlemen, by day or week; clean, comfortable and convenient. (8)

BROADWAY, 1709 N.—Two pleasant connected rooms; well furnished for light housekeeping.

CARPENTER PL., 726 (opposite 3871 Morgan)—Two large, extra well furnished front connecting, housekeeping, gas range, heat, phone, private family, adults.

CASS, 2809—2d-story front, with small connecting kitchen room; furnished housekeeping; $2.50 week.

CASTLEMAN, 4028—Neatly furnished room; use of kitchen if desired; private residence; modern conveniences. (3)

CATES, 5501 (corner Belt)—Beautiful, large, light, warm furnished front rooms; conveniences; reasonable. (2)

CHANNING, 109 N.—Furnished rooms, light housekeeping; good stoves; other rooms, $1.25 week up. (4)

CHESTNUT, 1101—Neat front room, 2d floor, gents or housekeeping. $2 and up. (3)

COOK, 4149—Large 2d-floor front room; newly furnished for light housekeeping. (4)

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4237—Two bright rooms, 2d floor; water, bath and all conveniences; $8.

DAYTON, 2832—Nicely furnished room for housekeeping; gas, bath; all conv.

DAYTON, 2733—Neatly furnished rooms, for housekeeping; gas, bath, furnace; water in kitchen; no children.

DELMAR BL., 4632A—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room; hot bath and phone. (2)

DELMAR BL., 4636—Two front rooms, steam heat, light housekeeping or gentlemen.

DELMAR BL., 4122—2d-story furnished room; southern exposure; private fam. (3)

DELMAR BL., 3917—Beautiful newly furnished, warm, bright room for gentleman; excellent service; Bell phone. (2)

DELMAR BL., 4482A—Front and connecting parlor; clean; every convenience; private; hot bath; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 3845—Elegant, newly furnished rooms, all conveniences, very reasonable, free phone Lindell 4905. (4)

DELMAR BL., 4616A—Nice, large, southern-exposed room, for couple or two ladies; privilege of light housekeeping.

DELMAR BL., 4639A—Nicely furnished room with steam heat; continuous hot water, phone. (2)

DELMAR BL., 4353—Second-story front room, southern exposure; also single room; parlor, phone; conveniences. (2)

DELMAR BL., 3841—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, for gentlemen; heat, phone, laundry, bath, gas; reasonable.

DICKSON, 2926—Furnished front room, for light housekeeping; cheap.

DICKSON, 2922A—Two 2d-story front rooms, furnished for housekeeping; reasonable.

EASTON, 5090—Well-furnished front room, for gentlemen; all conveniences. (62)

EASTON, 3104—Furnished room, with bath and phone; all conveniences.

EASTON, 4438—Two light housekeeping rooms; everything convenient.

EASTON, 3047—Rooms for housekeeping, southern exposure; no objection to children; reasonable.

EIGHTEENTH, 912 N.—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; $1 per week up.

FAIRMOUNT, 5170—Parlor and connecting bedroom; couple or 2 gentlemen; reasonable; private home. (4)

FINNEY, 3647A—Hall room, furnished or unfurnished, $4 month; also large housekeeping room, suitable for two gents.

FINNEY, 3808—Two rooms, complete for housekeeping; every convenience; responsible people; reasonable.

FINNEY, 3727—Two connecting front rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping; gas range, furnace heat. (6)

FINNEY, 3701—Connecting rooms, for light housekeeping; gas range, hot water; furnace heat.

FRANKLIN, 1300—Furnished room; housekeeping if desired. (2)

FRANKLIN, 3129—Beautifully furnished front or connecting rooms; gas, bath, furnace, gas stove; reasonable.

FRANKLIN, 3511—Furnished room, hot-water heat, bath, phones; private family; men only; reasonable.

FRANKLIN, 3416—Lovely 1st-floor front double parlor; gas, bath, furnace heat, laundry privileges; very cheap; $2 and $2.50 week.

GAMBLE, 2906—Large front room for housekeeping; hot and cold bath and all conv.

GAMBLE, 2854—Two furnished rooms for gentlemen or housekeeping; no children. (58)

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

GAMBLE, 2906—Connecting rooms for housekeeping, cook stove, hot bath, all conv.; $2 week.

GARRISON, 522 N.—3 rooms, furnished, for housekeeping; steam heat, gas range, etc.

GARRISON, 1303 N.—2 steam-heated rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; hot water, gas and phone; Central 9310J. (2)

GEYER, 2759—Small furnished room; lady or gentleman; cheap. (2)

GEYER, 2749—Two connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; southern exposure; bath, gas and phone. (3)

GRAND, 4127 N.—Two large, beautiful rooms, unfurnished; bath and gas; fine location; rent reasonable.

GRANVILLE PL., 1414 (5500 west)—Two furnished rooms, with private family of two; gas range, furnace heat, bath, laundry. Delmar 3284L. (4)

HICKORY, 1325—Furnished rooms, housekeeping; gas range, hot bath, laundry, phone Central 9744L. (2)

JEFFERSON, 1715 S.—Nice large room, gents or light housekeeping, bath, hot water.

JEFFERSON, 3427 S.—Nicely furnished or housekeeping rooms, en suite; hot-water heat; modern conveniences.

KENTUCKY, 1441—Front room, for light housekeeping.

KENSINGTON, 5032—Choice furnished front room, private family; Suburban, Olive; gentleman; reas.; Forest 5747. (6)

LACLEDE, 3514—Nicely furnished 2d-floor front housekeeping room.

LACLEDE, 3502—Front connecting rooms, 2 beds, gas, furnace heat; no objections children.

LACLEDE, 3119—Nice steam-heated sleeping rooms, 1st floor; hot bath, gas, phone; reasonable.

LACLEDE, 3438—Nice, large room, 2d floor, complete for housekeeping; gas connection; hot water; porcelain bath; free phone; laundry; $2.25 weekly.

LOCUST, 2710—Front room, 2d floor, furnished; well heated; reasonable.

LOCUST, 2819—Small rooms, $1.50 week; hot bath, large basement room, $1.50.

LOCUST, 2215—Comfortable room, medium size, for gentlemen or housekeeping; $2.

LOCUST, 2820—Two nicely furnished, connecting rooms for housekeeping; $3 week.

LOCUST, 2814—Nicely furnished rooms for two gentlemen or couple; also light housekeeping. (2)

LOCUST, 2227—Nicely furnished, steam-heated rooms; free bath, hot water always; $1.50 to $2; housekeeping rooms, $3 up.

LOCUST, 3032—Warm, connecting housekeeping rooms, gas range; modern conveniences; bargain; investigate at once. (62)

LOCUST, 3036—Nicely furnished room, in well-kept flat; breakfast or board if desired.

LUCAS, 3430—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; free phone; all conv. (2)

LUCAS, 3112—Large front room, completely furnished, housekeeping; all conveniences; price $2 weekly.

LUCAS, 3200—Nice, warm connecting housekeeping rooms; gas range, running water; private entrance.

LUCAS, 3130-3015—Large housekeeping rooms, gas stove, bath, heat; free phone; $2.50 up. (8)

LUCAS, 3028—Furnished rooms, for housekeeping, single or en suite; all conveniences; reasonable. (5)

LUCKY, 4263—Two rooms, for quiet couple, and bath, $8.50 per month.

MADISON, 2209A—Three rooms, gas, water, cellar and attic; $9.50. (58)

MICHIGAN, 4731—Two rooms, 2d floor; $7.

MORGAN, 4244—Front room on third floor, $5 per month. Lindell 1339.

MORGAN, 2911—Furnished rooms, from $2 to $4 weekly; light housekeeping or sleeping. (5)

MORGAN, 3133—Nicely furnished room for housekeeping; well lighted and heated; bath, gas. (2)

MORGAN, 3029—Rooms, sleeping and housekeeping; gas, hot bath; everything neat and complete; cheap.

MORGAN, 3500—$2, some more, all front rooms; cooking gas furnished; phone; own property. (4)

MORGAN, 3030—Two large, connecting front rooms, furnished for housekeeping; gas stove, bath, laundry. (3)

MORGAN, 4118A—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; free phone; hot-water heat; first-class.

MORGAN, 3320—Nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; furnace heat, cooking gas included; $3 per week. (2)

MORGAN, 3126—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, gas, bath, heat, phone; light housekeeping optional. (4)

NINTH, 119 N.—Rooms, $1.25 a week up; double rooms, very reas.; hot baths. (7)

NINTH, 704 S.—Three nice rooms; good order; all conveniences; only $10.50.

OLIVE, 1322—Furnished rooms, for light housekeeping. (4)

OLIVE, 2815—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

OLIVE, 2734—Two connecting rooms, for light housekeeping; gas stove hot bath; $3.

OLIVE, 3738—2 or 3 connecting rooms; strictly modern; housekeeping privilege; call during day.

OLIVE, 3710A—Gentleman desiring steam-heated room, constant supply hot water, phone Lindell 4391.

OLIVE, 4014A—Newly furnished rooms, heat, bath, gas, phone, conveniences; reasonable. (68)

OLIVE, 3142—Front and other neat housekeeping rooms; heat, cooking gas, bath, phone, laundry. (2)

OLIVE, 4394—Large 2d-story front room, newly furnished; housekeeping; phone; conveniences. Lindell 1519. (4)

OLIVE, 2203—Furnished 2 connecting rooms and kitchen, complete for light housekeeping; 1st floor; all conveniences; rent reasonable. 2203 Olive.

PAGE BL., 5722—Southern-exposed room, sleeping or housekeeping; bath, furnace, private family, reasonable. (2)

PARK, 917—Two connecting furnished front rooms, bath, light housekeeping. (3)

PINE, 3148—Nicely furnished front room, 1st floor; gas range. $[illegible]50; phone; all conv. (2)

PINE, 1306—Large front furnished room, 2 beds, 2 gentlemen; hall room, $1. (4)

PINE, 3123—Large rooms, cooking gas, hot bath, laundry, phone, all conv.; $3.25 week.

PINE, 3411—Beautifully furnished housekeeping room, steam heat, gas range; small kitchen, with water.

ROOMS—Indiana and Pestalozzi, 4 rooms, gas; $12.50. 2837 Missouri.

ROOMS—One or two, furnished or unfurnished, steam-heated rooms, cheap. Box F-137, Post-Dispatch. (2)

ROOMS—Nicely furnished rooms, West End; private home; gentlemen only; hot-water heat; all modern conveniences. For particulars phone Bell Forest 5229. (2)

ROOMS—One or two front rooms, northern and eastern exposures, light, comfortably heated; electricity and gas; suitable for doctor's office; Delmar, west of King's highway. Box K-163, Post-Dispatch.

RUTGER, 930—Two connecting rooms, for light housekeeping; laundry; only respectable family need apply. (4)

ST. CHARLES, 709—Neatly furnished front hall rooms, $1 and $1.25.

SALENA, 3748—Front room, furnished or unfurnished; light housekeeping or two gentlemen.

SHENANDOAH, 3144—Two large unfurnished rooms, with bath; southern exposure. (2)

SIDNEY, 3524—A fine double room; elegantly furnished; very reasonable. (2)

SIDNEY, 3524—Neatly furnished room; very reasonable. (2)

SPRING, 518 N.—Neatly furnished front room, furnace, hot bath. Phone Lindell 83.

SPRING, 512 N.—Nicely furnished, comfortable front room, furnace heat, hot bath; private family; reasonable. (3)

STODDARD, 2808—Nicely furnished connecting rooms; housekeeping, bath, convenient to 3 cars; low rent.

THOMAS, 2843—One nice large furnished front room, 2d floor; very cheap. (3)

THEODOSIA, 5684—Two furnished rooms, complete for light housekeeping; $3; private family.

TWELFTH, 1420 S.—Three nice rooms, water; all conveniences; only $9.

TWENTY-FIRST, 3614 N. (rear)—Two rooms and kitchen; price, $6. (4)

TWELFTH, 2300 S.—Room, complete for housekeeping; running water, steam heat. (6)

WASH, 1611—Nicely furnished front rooms, gents or housekeeping, $1.50.

WASH, 1608—Furnished room, with or without housekeeping.

WASH, 1708—Handsomely furnished second-floor front; $2 up; other rooms; gentlemen or housekeeping. (3)

WASHINGTON BL., 4960—Exceptionally nice front and south room; continuous hot water, electric lights; phone. (2)

WASHINGTON, 2643—Front and back room; gas stove, housekeeping; $1, $2, $3 week; private. (6)

WASHINGTON, 1309—Neatly furnished rooms, $1 and up; also light housekeeping rooms. (6)

WASHINGTON, 3115 AND 3142—Large front rooms, newly furnished; continuous hot water; $2 up. (7)

WASHINGTON, 2717—Two or three clean, connecting rooms for housekeeping; gas, hot bath.

WASHINGTON BL., 4117—Well-furnished, warm rooms, with every convenience; private family.

WASHINGTON, 2828—Warm, connecting, 2d-floor front room; gentlemen or ladies employed; gas; conveniences.

WASHINGTON, 3034—Neatly furnished 2d-floor front; other rooms for housekeeping; hall room.

WASHINGTON, 2847—Large front rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; also fine connecting rooms; well heated and convenient; hall room, [illegible] week.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

WASHINGTON, 2639—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; also single rooms.

WEST BELLE PL., 4464—Furnished room for settled young woman employed; references; reasonable; private family. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4190—Nicely furnished room, 2d floor, southern exposure; furnace heat, phone.

WEST BELLE PL., 4052—Very desirable, nicely furnished, warm room; modern conveniences; reasonable. (69)

WEST BELLE PL., 4106—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping, hot bath, gas range, heat, laundry, phone; reasonable.

WEST BELLE PL., 4439—Second-story front room; all conveniences. Phone Delmar 3574X. (2)

WEST END PL., 508—Nicely furnished room for light housekeeping; gas for cooking; large closet; water in room; $2.50 week. (3)

FOR COLORED

BALDWIN, 2623½—One large room, $4 to $3.50. (*)

BALDWIN, 2621—Two rooms, $7 to $6.50. (*)

EWING, 516 S.—Two rooms, $7. (*)

FINNEY, 4125—Neatly furnished rooms; gas, hot baths, heat, phone. (2*)

LAWTON, 3100—Furnished rooms for man and wife or gentlemen; rent reasonable. (3*)

PINE, 2340—Neatly furnished rooms, conveniences; front rooms, second and third floors. Bomont 2119. (4*)

ROOMS—Two nice rooms in front, cheap. Keys 2103 Franklin av. (*)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

AUBERT, 729—Newly papered rooms, with board; all conveniences; reasonable.

BELL, 3527—Rooms, with or without board; steam heat, Bell phone; reasonable. (4)

BLAIR, 1502—Two unfurnished front rooms, cheap; board if desired.

CABANNE, 5642—Large room, 2d floor; reasonable; also single room. Forest 2795.

CABANNE, 5152—2d-floor southern room, gentleman or couple employed; excellent table; $45 per month.

CABANNE, 5025—Southern-exposed front room for 2; steam heat; excellent table. Forest 8258. (2)

CLEVELAND, 3854—Elegant front room; hot-water heat, electric lights; no other boarders; breakfast.

DELMAR BL., 3706—Nice single rooms, best board; electric lights; hot-water heat. (3)

DELMAR BL., 4267—Furnished rooms, electric light, hot bath, home cooking; reasonable. Lindell 2193.

DELMAR BL., 4417—Large, southern 2d-story front; excellent meals; private home; for two $40. (4)

DELMAR BL., 5017—Fine table; warm, cozy rooms, thoroughly modern. Delmar 2716; Forest 1538. (6)

FAIRMOUNT, 5150—Second-floor front room, hot water, electric light; good board; Forest 6277. (4)

FINNEY, 4355—Nicely furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; all conveniences; or would board.

FRANKLIN, 2901—Rooms, housekeeping or without; clean, well-furnished; gas, bath; board optional.

GRAND, 1635 S.—Large, nicely furnished room; excellent board; all conveniences. Phone Grand 439.

JEFFERSON, 1606 N.—Furnished room, home comforts; board if desired; reasonable; bath, hot water.

KENSINGTON, 5043—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences; board if desired; private family. (64)

KING'S HIGHWAY, 830 N.—Large, light, handsomely furnished, southern-exposed, steam-heated room; excellent board; for gentleman and wife or gentlemen who are willing to pay for first-class accommodations.

LACLEDE, 4368—A neatly furnished room, best of board, in a quiet home. (2)

LACLEDE, 3433—Gent boarder; phone, steam heat, home comforts, all conv.; terms reas. (2)

LAFAYETTE, 2351—Choice rooms, board and home cooking; southern exposure; adults employed. (7)

LOCUST, 2918—Nicely furnished connecting or single rooms with board; only refined persons desired (4)

MISSISSIPPI, 1221—Two desirable 2d-floor rooms; board, heat; modern conveniences; Lafayette Park vicinity. (4)

MISSOURI, 1615—Two front rooms, with board; facing Lafayette Park; reasonable rates; references. (4)

MORGAN, 4323—Well-furnished rooms, with first-class board; reasonable rates; couples or gentlemen. (8c)

MORGAN, 4000—Comfortable rooms and board; convenient to car lines; for business people; reasonable. (5)

MORGAN, 5106—Large, warm, sunny room, with best board; gentlemen preferred; free Bell phone. (2)

MORGAN, 3969—Newly furnished 2d-floor front room and board; two gentlemen; separate beds; every conv.; free Bell phone; $5. (3)

NEWSTEAD, 228 S.—Furnished rooms, with or without board; Bell phone.

OLIVE, 3853—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board; steam heat, hot water. (4)

OLIVE, 2706—Room and board; home cooking; hot bath, $4 per week; phone.

OLIVE, 3646—Nicely furnished large room, with board; 2 men; single beds; $4 each.

OLIVE, 4724A—Room for couple or gentlemen; excellent table; Bell phone; all accommodations; reasonable.

OLIVE, 4722—Furnished room, 1 only; with or without board; references exchanged; reasonable.

PAGE BL., 4927—Neat, cozy, well heated room, excellent table; all conveniences; phone 8887 Forest.

PAGE BL., 5276A—Nicely furnished front room; good board; all convenience. Forest 3862. (3)

PAGE BL., 5025—Home accommodations for 2 gentlemen; large, well-heated front room; newly furnished. Forest 8349.

PARK, 3117A—Nicely furnished, well-heated room, with board, for two; hot bath; reas.

PESTALOZZI, 3533—(Opposite Tower Grove Park), elegant large, furnished rooms, hot water heat; modern; first-class board; refs.; gentlemen or couple. (68)

PINE, 2828—Furnished rooms, with or without board. (62)

PINE, 3037—Nicely furnished, steam-heated rooms; also single room, bath, gas; good board.

ROOMS AND BOARD—First-class rooms and board in beautiful. Phone Forest 3379. (2)

ROOM AND BOARD—Large 2d-floor alcove room; southern exposure; excellent table. Sidney 1655L. (2)

ROOM AND BOARD—Private family of two, West End, will rent southern exposed room to a gentleman appreciating comforts of refined home; all conveniences; free Bell phone. Lindell 2618.

RUSSELL, 3846—Rooms and board; private family; good board. Victor 2392R. (4)

RUSSELL, 4338—Room, with board; young lady; private family. (3)

RUSSELL, 2632—Southern-exposed room, single and double, with board, hot bath, phone; reasonable. (3)

RUSSELL, 3628—Two 2d-story furnished rooms; one front; with or without board; gentlemen.

THEODOSIA, 5911—Large single neatly furnished room and board; private family; very reasonable. (4)

VERNON, 5205—One single and double room, with board. (3)

WASHINGTON BL., 3895—Large front room, with board; gentlemen or couple employed

WASHINGTON, 3207—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; reasonable; furnace heat; phone; all conveniences. (3)

WASHINGTON BL., 3936—Nice room; every convenience; choice cooking; furnace heat, hot bath, phone. (65)

WASHINGTON BL., 3719—First-class single and double rooms; good board; steam heat; all conveniences. (8)

WASHINGTON BL., 4604—Front room; steam heat; good table; suitable for couple or two employed. (4)

WASHINGTON, 3410—Double and single rooms, with board; good table; gentlemen, couples; modern; reasonable. (4)

WASHINGTON BL., 4314—Handsomely furnished rooms, with board; hot-water heat, both phones. (5)

WASHINGTON BL., 3880—Neatly furnished, large room, for 3 gentlemen, with board; also single room. Delmar 2936L.

WASHINGTON BL., 3635-43—Room and board; just opened, with complete new furnishings; first-class accommodations; also day boarders. (7)

WEST BELLE PL., 3932—Nicely furnished room and board; all conveniences.

WEST BELLE PL., 4038—Beautiful 2d-floor room; good board; best accommodation; $9 week for 2; also room for 1 gent.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4010—Nice, cosy front room; good table; all conv. Phone Lindell 3391. (4)

WEST PINE BL., 3756—Front room for 2; single beds; hot-water heat; good board. (1)

WEST PINE BL., 4252—Beautifully furnished rooms, couples or gentlemen; excellent table; private; first-class; West End home. Lindell 4818. (57x)

WHITTEMORE, 2325—Large front room, southern exposure, elegantly furnished, modern conveniences, refined private family; also two connecting rooms; board optional; phone Grand 46[illegible]. (3)

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APARTMENTS AND HOTELS

APARTMENT 4—For rent; the Bellevue, 14 N. King's highway; apply to janitor, on the premises. (c5)

THE DUDLEY, 4145 LINDELL BL. Family hotel; first-class accommodations; comfortable, homelike surroundings; room telephones; steam heat; popular prices. (56c)

SYLVAN APARTMENTS, 5636 Cabanne av. Just completed, 6 rooms, all large and light, all conv.; reasonable rent; special inducements to desirable tenants; nothing prettier in the city; open.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 718 Chestnut. (8c)

Houses, Flats, etc.

FLATS FOR RENT

EAST GRAND, 2018A—Beautiful 2 and 4 room flats; bath, etc.; $9.50 and $18. (4)

ETZEL, 5547—4 rooms; first-class condition; $20. Triangle Realty Co., 803 Odd Fellows' Bldg. (c5)

ETZEL, 5565A—5 rooms; hot-water heat; janitor service; nothing better in the city for the money; $45. Triangle Realty Co., 803 Odd Fellows' Bldg. (c5)

FAIRVIEW, 3722—New flat, 3 rooms, $12; near Grand.

FRANKLIN, 2014—2d and 3d floors, suitable for rooming house; 10 large rooms, newly decorated throughout; bath, etc.; rent $35; keys at Sidney Schiele, 20 N. 8th st. (c4)

GLASGOW PL., 3018—Four light rooms, furnace, bath, laundry; $20. (68)

HAMILTON, 1520A—Nice 3-room flat, bath and laundry; newly papered; $15.

HAMMETT PL., 4773—Five-room flat, tile bath; newly decorated and painted; heat furnished.

JEFFERSON, 1607-11 S.—Four large rooms and bath; rent $12 and $16. (c8)

LEXINGTON, 4446—Three rooms and bath, $15; fixtures and screens.

MADISON, 2609-2611—Two-story, 6-room brick houses, only $17; water paid. (c53x)

MADISON, 2611A—Three rooms, $9.50; 2603A, 3 rooms, $10; 2601A, corner flat, 3 rooms, $11; good condition; open. (c53x)

MORGAN, 4174—Five-room flat, furnace, combination fixtures, gas stove and shades.

MORGAN, 4622—Four-room flat, hall, combination fixtures, furnace, laundry; rent reasonable.

NEBRASKA, 3119A-3119B—Upper and lower modern 5-room flat; stable and shed; reasonable.

NEWSTEAD, 4329-29A N.—Newly decorated 3-room flats; fixtures, baths and laundry.

NEWSTEAD, 4120 N.—Four rooms, bath and laundry, gas and electric light; rent reduced to $15. (c62)

NEW ASHLAND PL., 3051A—Three-room new brick flat, $10. Delmar 3455L. Extra nice. (c)

NINTH, 2626 S.—Four large rooms, newly papered and painted; $14. (7)

NORTH MARKET, 4435—Three rooms, bath and gas fixtures; $13 a month.

OREGON, 2290A—Convenient 4-room flat, gas, bath, hot water; $17. (5)

PINE, 3405—Four-room flat, attic, gas, bath; reasonable. Apply 3409 Pine. (2)

RIDGE, 5975—4 and 5 room flats, gas fixtures, bath, furnace, laundry, screens. (3)

SHENANDOAH, 2821—Three large rooms, bath, gas fixtures, cabinet mantel, china closet; $18; open.

SOULARD, 608A—New; 3 rooms; toilet, gas, cooking, lighting; one-half block from Public Library; bath.

VON VERSEN, 5874—Seven large rooms, large reception hall, bath; rent reasonable; will decorate to suit; janitor service. See owner, 2d floor, or F. J. Cornwell R. E. Co., 807 Chestnut st. (c2)

WARREN, 2521A—Modern 5-room flat; gas, bath, fixtures, etc. Claude E. Vrooman, 108 N. 8th st. (8c)

WASHINGTON BL., 4161A—Seven-room steam-heated apartment; perfect in appointment and location; references required; rent reduced to $45; open. (6)

DWELLINGS FOR RENT

AUBERT, 1316—8-room brick house; all conveniences; $40; key next door; phone Main 331. (8c)

COOK, 3843—Modern 8-room dwelling, bath, fixtures, screens, etc. Claude E. Vrooman, 108 N. 8th st. (8c)

COTTAGE, 4562—Four-room cottage, with stable and summer kitchen.

HOUSE—Rent an elegant new house, 5 or 6 rooms; if taken quick, you pay for one month and get dated to April 20, 1910. Call in, after 1, or write us at once. Brewster-Ames Bldg. Co., 810 Olive, room 608. (c58)

LEXINGTON, 4247-49—Three-room houses, $9; cooking gas. Delmar 3455L. (c)

MARYLAND, 4202—Modern 9-room dwelling, furnace, fixtures, screens, etc. Claude E. Vrooman, 108 N. 8th st. Phones Main 596, Central 880. (8c)

SHERIDAN, 3016A—Large, new 3-room flat; open; Delmar 291L; rent starts Feb. 1.

SPALDING, 4766—Brick house, 3 rooms and basement; water paid; $12. (c)

THEODOSIA, 5205—Four-room cottage, $13.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT

AUBERT, 912—Nicely furnished 5-room flat, hot water; every convenience; $36.

COMPTON, 123 S.—Between Laclede and Market car lines; completely furnished 3-room flat; all conveniences; quiet, careful family; references; $20.

FINNEY, 4140—3-room apartment; bath, range, hot water, electric light, furnace heat regulated by electric thermostadt (always 70 degrees); detached house, sunlight all day, $25, including heat. (3)

FURNISHED FLAT—Lady alone would like congenial lady to share nicely furnished flat. Box N-173, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED APARTMENT—About March 1, artistic 6-room, steam-heated apartment; separate entrance; janitor; if willing to pay for something specially high-class; answer. Main 2994.

MORGAN, 5055—Completely furnished flat for housekeeping; gas, electric lights, telephone, hot-air furnace, 5 rooms and bath; will rent or sell furnishings on very liberal terms. Apply at upper flat, 5055A Morgan st., or telephone Main 2613. (8c)

FURNISHED APARTMENTS AND FLATS WANTED

FURNISHED FLAT Wtd.—Steam-heated flat or apartment, in West End; first-class; for adults only. Box R-53, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—Furnished flat or apartment; three or four rooms; West End; for two adults; give full particulars. Box R-156, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT

FURNISHED HOUSE—Elegantly furnished, new 8-room house; every modern convenience; extreme West End. Forest 3417. (c)

RIDGE, 5149—Owner will rent to small family for board for two; references exchanged.

HOUSES, ROOMS, FLATS—WANTED

HOUSE Wtd.—Six-room house; conveniences; large yard; must be reasonable. 4023A Maffitt av.

ROOM Wtd.—West End; Olive cars; lady employed; $3.50 week. Box N-187, P.-D.

ROOM Wtd.—Furnished room; steam heat; reasonable rent; married lady. Box K-67, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Two unfurnished rooms, light housekeeping; walking distance 12th and Pine. 6136 Ridge av. (3)

ROOMS Wtd.—Two or 3 steam-heated rooms for light housekeeping; within walking distance of 5800. 5815 Easton.

ROOMS Wtd.—Two or three unfurnished rooms, near Hyde Park, with gas and bath. Box N-191, Post-Dispatch. (3)

ROOM Wtd.—Young man wants nicely furnished room in private family; state price and full particulars. Box N-12, Post-Dis.

ROOMS Wtd.—Refined home; family of 3 adults, between Grand, Taylor, Delmar, Laclede; permanent if suited; state price. Box K-187, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—By young couple, one or two rooms for light housekeeping; must be modern, clean and well furnished; West End preferred; answer, giving price and particulars. Box R-154, Post-Dis. (3)

ROOMS Wtd.—Two connecting rooms, two beds, or large double room, couple with two children, aged 7 and 4; west of Grand; give particulars and price. Room 212 Temple Bldg.

TO LET—BUSINESS PURPOSES

BUILDING—To let, for storage or manufacturing purposes, 12th st., west side, between Gratiot and Austin; lot 220x224 feet, on which is a one-story brick building 18x43 feet, one-story frame iron-clad building, 52x138 feet, and large yard; will rent separately, alter or build; railroad switch on premises. F. Churchill Whittemore Co., 118-120 N. 4th st. (c69)

FLOORSPACE—6000 square feet of space, 1st or 2d floor, with elevator, suitable for shop or stage. 10th and Walnut. (62c)

GRAND, 4102 N.—Store; suitable for dry goods, clothing, shoes, hats; established trade. (2)

OFFICE—Furnished office, suitable for merchandise broker. Apply 316 N. 2d st. (3)

OLIVE, 3526—Elegantly furnished parlors, for clairvoyant or doctor.

WANTED—BUSINESS PURPOSES

LOCATION Wtd.—For cleaning and dyeing establishment, west of Grand, south of Easton, north of Market. Apply St. Louis Pressing Club, 3691 Olive st. (c2)

FOR COLORED PEOPLE

BELL, [illegible]—Excellent 3-room flat, perfect condition; $12.50 per month; open; see it. (6*)

WANTED TO LEASE

FLOOR SPACE Wtd.—To lease about 6000 feet on two floors, with power and live steam. Box N-152, Post-Dispatch. (2)

For Sale - Wanted

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

COAL—Delivered, all grades; standard, 11c; Mount Olive, 12c; Sunlight, 12c per bu. Liberty Coal Co., Delmar 765. (15c)

COAL—Delivered, high grade; standard 11c, Mount Olive 12c, Sunlight 12c per bu. Johnson Coal Co., Central 5612. Bomont 1085. (8c)

DENTAL ENGINE Wtd.—2d-hand dental foot engine, in good condition. E. Williams, 3647 Blaine. (2)

EAR SCREWS—For sale, genuine diamond ear screws, cost price $135, for only $40. Box N-185, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

CAMERA—For sale, 5x7 Toco camera, with 3 plate holders, tripod and developing trays; $10. Call Delmar 2669R. (c)

EAR SCREWS—For sale, beautiful genuine diamond ear screws, paid $35, sell for only $15. Box N-183, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

EAR SCREWS—For sale, beautiful genuine diamond ear screws, price $38.50; also genuine diamond lady's ring, price $32.50, will sell the above articles to good people on time payments; write at once. Box N-128, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

MIRROR—For sale, large plate-glass mirror, suitable for store or dressmaker. Call 3218 Pine.

NEW city map, just out, showing route of every car line; every street indexed and numbered; prepaid, 25c. Foster & Co., 410 Washington av. (8c)

ONE large and one small second-hand safe. John Bauman Safe Co., 413 Washington. (60c)

POOL and billiard tables for sale or rent. J. L. Fowler, 1219 Cass. Central 5224. (62c)

POOL TABLES on time payments and rent; new and second-hand. A. E. Schmidt, 328 Market st. (62c)

RADIATORS—For sale, new and second-hand. Stern & Goldberg, 1616-30 Chestnut. (8c)

REFRIGERATOR—For sale, butcher's refrigerator, 5x7; used 8 months; showcase and grocery fixtures. 6600 Olive St. rd.

RING—For sale genuine diamond ring, cost $35, sell for only $15. Box N-179, P.-D. (c1)

RING—For sale, lady's ring, with genuine diamond, cost $60, for only $25. Box N-129, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

RING—For sale, lady's fine white diamond ring, ⅝-karat; gent's beautiful diamond ring, ¾-karat; sacrifice; need money. 1330 N. Euclid.

SCALES and trucks for sale; all kinds, new and second-hand; repairing a specialty. American Scale and Gas Eng. Co., 1408 N. Broadway. (62c)

SODA FOUNTAIN—For sale, $550 soda fountain, complete in every detail; a bargain for $150. Apply manager Lyceum Theater, 15 S. 8th st. (c2)

STUD—For sale, genuine diamond stud, cost price $65, for only $20. Box N-181, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

STUD—For sale, beautiful genuine diamond stud, cost $125; will sell for only $45. Box N-180, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

VAPOR inhalers clear the head; 10c and 25c. Raboteau's drug store, Broadway and Lucas.

WATCH—For sale, high-grade lady's watch and beautiful solid gold chain, for only $18; will sell to good people on time payments; write at once. Box N-119, Post-Dis. (c1)

WOOD—For sale, 500 loads of mill wood, $1.25 per load; by postal. 4448 Easton; telephone Delmar 3752R. (8c)

BATH TUBS AND PLUMBING.

New enameled bath tubs, complete, $8 to $15; white enameled lavatories, $4.50; kitchen sinks, 75c and up.
CHICAGO WRECKING AND SUPPLY CO., 3830 Manchester av.
Take Market car. (c58)

LUMBER AND ROOFING.

New dimension lumber, bright stock, $14.50 per 1000; dressed board, all sizes, $17.50; 4-inch matched floor, $16.50.
CHICAGO WRECKING AND SUPPLY CO. 3830 Manchester av.
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Also of furniture and rugs, new and slightly used; everything from the kitchen to the garret. If you want to save money, call and see us; we guarantee to give you the best bargains in St. Louis. Have a look.
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Central 5053; Bomont 399. (8c)

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

CLOTHING—Highest price paid for gents' old clothing, shoes; postal or call at store. Yatkeman, 2309 Market; Central 674L; Bomont 1910. (8c)

CLOTHING Wtd.—Can use any amount gents' clothing; pay suits, overcoats from $3, $10; Delmar 865; Forest 3538. J. Gelber, 4426 Page; postal; will call at once. (8c)

BARGAINS in evening and street dresses; ladies' and gentlemen's cast-off clothes bought. Mrs. Miller, 607 Walnut st, Central 871L; Olive 1243. (55c)

CASH paid for diamonds, old gold, silver. S. Smith, 7 N. Broadway; Kinloch 1570R. (8c)

HIGHEST prices paid for ladies' dresses and suits. Mrs. Bank, 1324 Biddle. Olive 828. (8)

NICKEL PLATING.

STOVES REPLATED.
Also gold, silver, brass and copper plating, repairing, oxidizing and lacquering at reasonable prices. DEGGE & MUSICK, 717-719 Market st. (69c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED

DESKS Wtd.—Cash paid for office fixtures. McClay, 1434 Franklin, Olive 3133, Central 5478. (8c)

FEATHER beds, pillows wanted, for shipment; pay bed, $5, $25 or 40c pound. Delmar 865; Forest 3538. Gelber, 4426 Page, will call. (8c)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Furniture, carpets, contents of flats and dwellings. Shober, 4518 Page. Delmar 2985L, Forest 3053. (5)

FURNITURE Wtd.—To buy furniture in small or large quantites; contents of houses bought. Welsch, 5605 Manchester, Victor 970R. Grand 153. (c8)

FURNITURE, carpets and feather beds for shipment to Frisco; price no object. M. Damson, 4813 Delmar; Forest 7413; Delmar 682. (62c)

HERMAN will call at once and pay you good prices for your household goods and furniture. 313 S. 14th st., Central 3593. (c5)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Contents dwellings bought; secure our bid. Dickson, 4068 Olive. Lindell 1938, Delmar 3740L. (3)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Badly; send postal. McClay, 1434 Franklin; Central 5478, Olive 3133. (8c)

LEVY BROS. pays best cash price for household goods. 3120 Easton; Central 8971R. (c5)

A PHONE or postal brings results, best prices. Brasch, 2618 Franklin, Bomont 163, Central 5883R. (8)

A SURE, quick sale; best price for furniture and carpets. Keiner, 215 S. 14th, C. 421R. (21xc)

ALWAYS phone us or send postal before selling your household goods and stoves; highest price paid. Bensinger's, Central 6692. 1702 Franklin. (14c)

BEST price for furniture of all kinds; buy entire contents residences and flats. 3615 Laclede av.; phone Delmar 2544, Lindell 4741. R. U. Leonori Auc. & Storage Co. (8c)

CASH for household goods, stock in stores, office furnishings, etc. O. Hast, 1144 Euclid av. Send card or phone Delmar 3296L, Forest 984. (14c)

SPOT CASH for household goods, large or small lots; contents of houses or stores; don't sell until you get our bid. Stoecker & Price Storage & Auc. Co., 2009 Morgan st.; Central 7002R, Bomont 685. (8c)

SEWING MACHINES

SEWING MACHINE—For sale, Singer sewing machine, drophead; cost $65; will sell for $20; almost new. 4676 Page.

SEWING MACHINE—$15 buys 5-drawer drophead golden oak sewing machine; all attachments; Singer. 4353 Easton.

SEWING MACHINES—Dropheads, $10 up; slightly used machines, $5 up; repairs for all machines and parts. D. G. Sheridan, 810 N. 6th st. (61c)

AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY—For this week only; drophead, Singers, Wheeler & Wilsons, New Homes, Domestics, Whites and other makes; this week your choice only $13.50; box-top machines, worth up to $10, in this sale only $3.50; guaranteed; machines rented, $1.50 to $3 a month; all makes repaired for $1. New York Sewing Machine Co., 1208-10 Franklin, Main 2778, Central 5300. (c5)

SINGER, Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines sold, rented, repaired; machines rented 10c a day. 4353 Easton; Kinloch Delmar 508L; Bell Lindell 3751. (8)

WE sell any make of sewing machines; we rent any make of sewing machines; we will adjust any make of sewing machine; absolutely free of charge this month. Albright Sewing Mch. Co., 1342 Franklin; Olive 1412, Central 5621. (58c)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

A BEAUTIFUL antique mirror and furnishings of my elegant home; must be sold this week; leather mahogany parlor suit, dining furniture, leather davenport, brass beds, dressers, chiffoniers, rugs, elegant mahogany piano, etc.; great sacrifice; call quickly; am leaving the city. 4220 Delmar. (2)

A FAMILY leaving city will sacrifice beautiful furnishings of flat, including fine mahogany piano, leather mahogany parlor suite, dining room furniture, leather davenport, brass beds, dressers, chiffoniers, bachelor's wardrobe, rugs, etc.; all good as new; sell separately; immediately. Call today, 2244 S. Jefferson av. (3)

BASEBURNER—For sale, Radiant Home baseburner, good as new, $10. 2614 Laclede av., 2d floor.

BASEBURNER—For sale, Radiant Home baseburner, good as new, $25. 5245 Paulian pl. (2)

BASEBURNER—For sale, Radiant Home baseburner, complete, $10; iron mantel folding bed, $4. 4662A St. Ferdinand av., Kinloch Delmar 3764X.

BEDROOM SETS, $3; wardrobes, $3; gas ranges, $3; dressers, sideboard, beds, stoves. 1722 S. 11th st. (60c)

CARPETS—For sale, carpets, rugs, linoleums, lace curtains, stoves and ranges, left for storage; cheap. F. S. Lasky, 1406 Franklin. Central 4763L. (4)

CHAIRS—For sale, 50 cane-bottom chairs, reasonable. 3045½ Dickson st.

FOLDING BEDS—For sale; fine lot oak folding beds; cash or credit. McClay, 1434 Franklin av. (8c)

FURNITURE—For sale, 25-room furniture, carpets, dressers, rockers, iron beds, springs, mattress. 2618 Franklin.

FURNITURE—For sale, Wednesday, beds, carpets, steel range, etc.; separately if desired. 4724 Delmar bl.

FURNITURE—For sale; slightly used furniture, carpets and stoves; lowest price. Mellis, 823 Franklin av. (60c)

FURNITURE—For sale; 5-room flat, left from storage; sell together or separate; big bargain if sold at once. Brasch's Storage, 2618 Franklin. (6)

FURNITURE—For sale; furniture, carpets and stoves; everything pertaining to the home; cash or credit. McClay, 1434 Franklin av. (8c)

FURNITURE—For sale, genuine bargains in house furnishings; 3-piece bedroom suits, consisting of dresser, washstand and bed, $9.85; all iron bed springs, $1.20; sanitary couches and davenports, $3.85; cotton-top mattresses, 90c; woven wire cots, 40c; golden oak sideboards, $10.50; solid oak extension tables, $5.20; solid oak chairs, 85c; go-carts $2; willow go-carts, $1.25; parlor davenports, $8.50; 3-piece parlor suits, $10.40; 5-piece parlor suits, $16; odd parlor settees, $4; odd parlor chairs, $1.75; 6-hole steel ranges with warming oven, $12; Quick Meal and Superior ranges, $26 ($15 less than regular price); laundry stoves, $2.75; combination desk and bookcase, in golden oak, $11; golden oak hall trees, $5.50; golden oak mantel folding beds, with best woven wire spring, $5.40; upright folding beds, 18x40 French plate glass, in oak or mahogany finish, $16 (worth $40); Brussels room rugs, in elegant floral designs, $10.50; ingrain room rugs, reversible patterns, $2.65; spring roller window shades, 10c; fancy matting, per yard, 10c. This is the only place in St. Louis where you can furnish 3 rooms for $65. Terms, $5 cash and $1 per week. H. Walker Furniture Co., 1219-21-23 Spruce st., 2d floor. (c5)

GAS RANGES—For sale, 3 gas ranges, good condition. 3509 Olive.

GO-CART—For sale, child's wicker go-cart; good as new. 3512 Utah.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, at once, complete furnishings apartment, parlor and dining suits, brass bed, rugs, dressers, bachelor's wardrobe, three-quarter bed, magnificent piano; separately if desired. 4029 McPherson. (3)

MASQUERADE COSTUME—For sale; large glass case; also household goods. 1819 S. Jefferson av. (62)

RANGE—For sale, Majestic range, water back; Quick Meal gas range; both $17. 2847 Washington av.

RUGS—Several good rugs for sale, reas. Chicago S. Carpet C. Co., 3829 Finney. (8c)

RUG—For sale, Brussels rug, 5x12, and other furniture. 4616A Delmar.

RUGS—For sale; Axminster rugs, large sizes, worth $40, sale price $22; also others, $3.50 up. 2618 Franklin. (6)

RUGS—For sale, reasonable, 25 rugs, all kinds; must be sold. Globe Carpet-Cleaning Co., 2625 Olive st. (8)

STOVE—For sale, soft coal heating stove; nickel trimmings. 3512 Utah.

STRICTLY modern slightly used furniture less than half wholesale price; free packing and shipping to country buyers. McClay, 1434 Franklin av. (8c)

A BEAUTIFUL residence must be sold this week, at 3807 Westminster pl., comprising elegant leather parlor furniture, early English dining furniture, bedroom furnishings, rugs, library furniture, piano, etc.; separately; great chance for those starting housekeeping; great bargain. Call quickly. 3807 Westminster pl. (4)

ALL my beautiful furnishings of residence must be sacrificed immediately; handsome mahogany piano, leather mahogany parlor suite, dining furniture, leather davenport, library furniture, rugs, bachelor's wardrobe, dresser, chiffonier, brass beds, etc.; almost new; sell separately; great saving for anyone starting housekeeping; am moving; call immediately; genuine bargain. 1205 N. Grand. (2)

THE LARGEST IN THE WEST.

WIDEAWAKE FURNITURE CO.

WM. A. GRAUL, PROP. 19TH AND WASHINGTON AV.
Are you going to housekeeping? Do you know where to buy your furniture? The best place to buy and the place where you can save the most money and at the same time get the best furniture is at 19th and Washington av.; we carry a large and complete line of everything necessary to fit your home up complete, just as good as new and looks like new at half the original cost; we send out our goods like new; satisfaction guaranteed; if you are in doubt, come in and we will be glad to show you; a dollar saved is a dollar made and we are the people that can save you many dollars; come in and see us. Kinloch Central 6557. (c62)

FURNISHED HOUSES AND FLATS

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, 6-room flat, furnished; good location; will sell all or any part; cheap; leaving city. 1102 Morrison. (c8)

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, contents of beautifully furnished 5-room flat; must be sold at once; leaving city; cheap rent; no dealers. 4919 Maple.

STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES

DESK Wtd.—50 or 54 inch roll-top desk; give description and price. Box N-107, Post-Dispatch. (58)

DESKS bought and sold; used desks for all office work; stock complete; cash or time. McClay, 1434 Franklin. Olive 3133; Central 5478. (8c)

FIXTURES—For sale, handsomest cigar fixtures in the city; a bargain; Wright Bldg. Cigar Store. (3)

FIXTURES—For sale, barbers' and cigar makers' outfit; make offer. Rasch's Storage House, 2618 Franklin.

FIXTURES—For sale, complete fixtures, shelves and counters, for dry goods, shoes, furnishings or clothing store; also fans, combination gas fixtures, desk, safe. 4102 N. Grand. (2)

BUTCHER TOOLS—For sale, butcher tools, icebox, meat rack, block; cheap. 3114 New Ashland pl.

SHELVING—For sale, 300 feet of good shelving, 50c foot; also 10 walnut top counters, showcases, cashier's office; very cheap. Loewenstein's, 1204 S. Broadway. (4)

TO EXCHANGE

LOT Wtd.—For exchange, meat market doing cash business, $35 daily, for vacant or other property. Box N-9, Post-Dis. (3)

TYPEWRITERS

ALL makes of typewriters sold and rented. Am. Writing Machine Co., 209 N. 10th st. Both phones. (c8)

TYPEWRITER Wtd.—Carpenter or millinery work in exchange for same. Box N-64, Post-Dispatch.

UNDERWOODS, $49 instead of $100; L. C. Smiths, $35; new No. 5 Olivers, with tabulators, $45; we always have the best bargains in the city. McLaughlin Typewriter Exchange, 1005 Pine st. (60c)

WATCHES AND JEWELRY

MID-WINTER clearance sale of all broken lines and odd pieces diamond-set solid gold jewelry and high-grade watches; easy monthly payments. Call and see these unusual bargains; open evenings. Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 N. 6th st. (c2)

CLOTHING

BIG SALE of gents' second-hand overcoats, suits and pants; good as new. 2024 Market st. (8c)

CLOTHING—Gents' tailor-made, second-hand overcoats, suits, pants, good as new; at your own price. Yatkeman, 2309 Market. (8c)

COAT—For sale, lady's beautiful Persian paw blouse coat, bust 36 inches, bargain; call afternoon or evening. 3701 Finney.

POULTRY AND BIRDS

CHICKENS—For sale, 2 White Brahma roosters. 3041 Church rd.

CHICKENS Wtd.—Will exchange buff Orpington cockerels; buff Orpington breeders write. 6966 McCune. (2)

SAFES

SAFES—New and second-hand, sold easy payments. J. Baum Safe and Lock Co., 1114 Pine st., agent for Peninsular [illegible] registers. [illegible]

AUTOMOBILES

AUTOMOBILE—For sale, touring car; cost $1500; sell for $1050; run 2000 miles; in excellent condition. Box N-66, P.-D.

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—4 or 5 passenger automobile for 80 acres land in Douglas County; answer quick. Box N-186, Post-Dispatch.

AUTOMOBILE Wtd.—For exchange, high-class toy tonneau roadster, in A1 condition, for standard make touring car. Central Garage Co., 12th and Chestnut sts. (c6)

VICTOR automobiles, $500 to $1000; catalog free. Victor Auto Co., Boyle and Papin. (8c)

TIRE repairing guaranteed; pin punctures, 25c. St. Louis Tire and Vulcanizing Co., 4144 Olive st. (62c)

The Pitless Automobile Turntable

For private and public garages; sits directly upon the floor; demonstrated by Buick Motor Co. R. E. NORMAN, Agent. Kinloch Victor 2277R.

Times Square Automobile Co.

Largest Dealers in the World in Used and New Automobiles. 150 Cars to select from. All makes touring cars, roadsters and runabouts.
N. W. Corner Eighteenth and Pine sts., St. Louis, Mo.
Two blocks from Union Station. (xc)

HORSES AND VEHICLES

FOR SALE

BUGGIES—For sale, reliable storm buggies, peddling, grocer, bakery, butcher, laundry, milk, carpenter, painter, whitener, plasterer, plumber, tinner, platform top wagons and truck spring stake wagons, $50 to $225. John Tobinka, 1340 N. 7th st. (15)

HORSE—For sale, at once, horse, wagon and harness; very cheap. 4538 Manchester. (3)

HORSES—For sale, 2 horses, $25 and $40. Inquire at 1550 N. Elliot.

HORSE—For sale, blind horse, cheap. [illegible] Gratiot st.

HORSE—For sale, big work horse, $30. [illegible] Lynch st.

HORSE—For sale, one fast delivery horse, $35; one good work horse, $25. 1714 Ohio.

HORSE—For sale, horse and peddler wagon, with license. Call 1024 Leonard av.

HORSES—For sale, good city horses; must sell. See Banner Laundry stableman, [illegible] Market st.

HORSE—For sale, 6-year-old, fast, strong horse, 17 hands, guaranteed sound; trial given. 1716 N. Spring av. (c)

HORSE—For sale, horse, good worker, suitable for grocery or express wagon, cheap. 5301 Easton av.

HORSE—For sale, fine horse and wagon; cheap. Call at stoneyards, Oregon and Pestalozzi. (4)

HORSES—For sale, 35 horses, mares; several in foal. Missouri Grading-Contracting Co., 1558 S. 7th st. (4)

HORSE—For sale, good horse and wagon, cheap if quick sale. M. Efron, 3115 Franklin av. (c2)

HORSES—For sale, 14 horses, mares, two teams mares in foal; wagons, harness. Morgan Ice Co., 2208 Morgan.

HORSE—For sale, big bay horse, wagon, harness; also runabout; cheap. 6408 Wellsmar av., Wellston.

HORSES—For sale, 15 young horses and several mares, in foal by jack; several good teams. Brewery stable, 409 N. 18th st. (5)

HORSES—For sale, two fine large family horses, well mannered, young and sound; also fine modern high leather rubber-tired storm buggy and beautiful runabout, two sets single harness; no use; using automobile. 3829 West Pine bl.

MARES—For sale, 10 cheap mares, 3 in foal. Packing company stable, 807 Gratiot st.

MARES—For sale, team chunky farm mares, $150; 12 cheap brood mares. 2725 Clark.

MARES—Widow must sell team large mares in foal; very reasonable. 2320A Carr st.

MARES—For sale, bargain, delivery big team and 3 good mares in foal. 1715 Franklin.

MARES—For sale, team of good plug mares; also blind mule; cheap. 1016 Chouteau. (c8)

MARES—For sale, 6 mares, 1 in foal; 2 delivery horses. Feed store. 2315 Easton.

MARES—For sale, 20 mares and horses, wagons and harness; cheap; guarantee or trial given. Acme Hauling Co., 1306 S. Seventh st. (6)

MARES—For sale, 6 big, stout farm mares, 3 in foal; chunky team mares, wagon and harness, $185; delivery or driving horse, $50; chunky driving mare, $65. [illegible]

MULES—For sale, 10 large mules, $50 each; 10 large mares. Kinloch Co., 806 S. 7th.

RUNABOUT—For sale, 2-cylinder runabout, completely equipped, $250. 4390 Olive. (c6)

STORM BUGGY—For sale, storm buggy, station wagon and runabout; all in good condition; cheap. 4536 Clayton av. (4)

TEAM—$250 buys young, large team mares, harness and farm wagon; also five other mares and horses; big bargain. 3036 Cass.

VEHICLES—For sale, everything in high-grade, second-hand vehicles bought, sold and exchanged. Johnston, 2701 Pine. (8c)

ANIMALS

DOGS—For sale, Irish setter, 1½-year female, cheap. 3432 Arlington av. (3)

DOG—For sale, French poodle male pup, only $5 if sold at once. 3905 Cook av.

DOGS bought, sold and exchanged. St. Louis Dog Exchange, 1915½ Olive st.

DOG—For sale, full-bred Boston bull brindle dog, 18 months old; reasonable. 3634A Hartford st.

DOG Wtd.—Newfoundland male pup; must be dirt cheap; immediate answer, stating price. Box N-38, Post-Dispatch.

DOGS—For sale, fine Scotch collies; one brood bitch and one male. 4326 North Market.

ALL KINDS of bred dogs bought and sold. New York Bird Store, 523 Franklin. (62c)

AUCTION SALES

WILL pay cash for jewelry stocks. L. Blumenkranz & Co., 1502 Market st. (8c)

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS

BOOKS—Of all kinds bought and sold; call or send address to Mills' Book Store, 807 Chestnut st. (8c)

MACHINERY

WANTED

ALWAYS buy scrap iron, metals and second-hand machinery. Fred Thema, 3038A Thomas st. (8c)

FOR SALE

DIES, stampings, screw machine and turret lathe work, light manufacturing and machining of specialties. Simplex Novelty Mfg. Co., 1923 Benton; both phones. (c69)

Business Chances

BUSINESS CHANCES

BAKERS—We sell movable bake ovens, guaranteed satisfactory, for cash or on time payments. Middleby Oven Mfg. Co., [illegible] Walnut st., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

BUSINESS CHANCE—I need a man of comprehensive intelligence, with $2000, to float a gilt-edge proposition; references and no triflers desired. Box O-59, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Wanted, party with capital to finance a splendid [illegible] enterprise; have concession. [illegible] Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Have [illegible] claims located in Arizona's [illegible] am ready to sell part inter[illegible] Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCE—An [illegible] established skirt and corset factory [illegible] manager who will invest from $[illegible] in the business; this is a good [illegible] Box J-169, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCE—[illegible] store, $3000 stock in good town [illegible] balance 10 years [illegible] interest; this is a rare chance [illegible] J. Dowling Real [illegible] 1134 Chestnut.

PARTNER Wtd.—[illegible] with $100 and his services, at [illegible] money; straight proposition; [illegible] for something [illegible] call and inves[illegible] Room 209 New Bernum Hotel.

PSYCHIC [illegible] all matters of business; advice given [illegible] and all kinds of investments [illegible] absolutely reliable. [illegible] N-198, Post-Dispatch.

HAVE [illegible] makes of automobiles; best sellers in America; large territory; can show [illegible] earning of $25,000 on investment of [illegible] money secured by cars and [illegible] Box K-68, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS WANTED

DRY GOODS Wtd.—I want a stock of dry goods, shoes or general merchandise, city or country; will give good clear city lots in good location and also put in [illegible] cash deal. Box R-22, Post-Dis.

ELECTRIC [illegible] and motors; have them tested by experts. Electrical Testing Co., [illegible] Chestnut st.

VAPOR inhalers for catarrh, asthma, [illegible] 10c. Raboteau's drug store, Broadway and Lucas.

STOVE REPAIRS

REPAIRS for "any old" stove [illegible] 111 N. 12th; Central 3491R, Main [illegible]

"BLACK JACK[illegible]"

[illegible]

BUSINESS FOR SALE

BUSINESS—$750 buys half interest in established mail-order manufacturing business; this will pay you $250 monthly net; young man preferred; give some information concerning yourself. Box N-26, P.-D.

BUSINESS PLACES—For sale, the following business places of Scout Younger's, located in Tulsa, Ok., the center of the largest oil fields in the world: Subway Cafe, 13 E. 2d, phone 77; Wabash Freight Lines, phone 1623; Poultry Yards, phone 819; Dressed Beef and Pro. House, phone 145; Branch House, phone 1702. If you want a well-paying business in a live town, now is the time to get busy; you can't pick a single one of these out that is not showing an average profit of from $250 to $500 per month; owner is going to South America to enter cattle business, reason for selling; all cash or part down, balance monthly on the one that suits you; it will pay you to come out and look it over. Remember, Tulsa is a cash town, no credit goes here. (c6)

CANDY and ice cream parlor for sale; doing good business; soda fountain, fixtures, etc.; worth $2500 but if sold this week will sell for $1500 cash; reason for selling, must leave city this week; can make large profit; expenses paid for a month ahead. Box N-40, Post-Dispatch.

CHILE PARLOR—For sale, chile and lunch parlor; only one in neighborhood; clearing $200 month; will sell very cheap. 1611 Market st.

CLEARING sale of sample furs; genuine mink sets, $140, for $85; many bargains in samples. 511 N. 6th st., 2d floor; take elevator. (62c)

COAL BUSINESS—For sale, coal business, horse and wagon, cheap. Apply 814 N. Compton.

CONFECTIONERY—For sale, reasonable if taken at once. Ad. Mrs. Em. Schwarz, Highland, Madison County, Ill.

DAIRY—For sale, good paying dairy; has been established for 2 years; also sell property on which dairy is located. 1424 N. 20th st., East St. Louis, Ill.

DELICATESSEN—For sale, delicatessen and dairy lunch; good business; fine location. 3209 S. Grand.

DOCTOR'S OFFICE—For sale, first-class, up-to-date doctor's office; owner is at hospital; big bargain; very cheap. Box E-150, Post-Dispatch. (c)

DRUG STORE—For sale, well-stocked drug store. See Dr. Wolff, 2013 N. 11th st. (62)

DYEING PLANT—For sale, dyeing and cleaning plant, cheap; good machinery; call after 6 at 3026 Thomas st. (c8)

DIES, stamping and machine works; all kinds light manufacturing, screw and turret lathe work. Simplex Novelty Mfg. Co., 1919 Benton. Central 5768L; Tyler 2008. (c62)

FRUIT STORE—For sale, $75; must leave city. 1283 S. Broadway. (2)

HARDWARE—For sale, stock of hardware and implements, located in Central Missouri; no opposition; will invoice $5,000. Box K-198, Post-Dispatch. (c2)

GROCERY—Would like to sell on account of other business. Box K-151, Post-Dis. (c)

GROCERY—For sale; old stand; will sell cheap if taken at once. 1024 Russell.

GROCERY—For sale, small grocery and confectionery; cheap if sold at once. Grand and Bell.

GROCERY—For sale, grocery, doing good business; $650; will take vacant lot part payment. Box N-106, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY—For sale, big stock; good business; South Side; to sell account sickness. Box N-30, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL—For sale, the Green Tree Hotel; owner has other business; real estate or cash basis, on easy payments, considered. 306-10 S. 2d st., St. Louis, Mo. (c8)

LUNCHROOM—For sale, first-class, and ice cream soda. Box N-163, Post-Dis. (3)

LUNCHROOM—For sale, at your own price; must sell; leaving the city; convince doing good business. Box N-11, Post-Dispatch.

LUNCHROOM—For sale; you can buy it for your own price; quick sale. Call at once, 29 S. 4th st. (c8)

LUNCHROOM—For sale, lunchroom, downtown; good business; old established; 4 S. Broadway.

MEAT MARKET—For sale or rent; doing cash business $85 daily; or will trade for vacant property. Box N-8, Post-Dis. (3)

MEAT MARKET—For sale; small line groceries; must sell; leaving the city; bargain. 5307 Easton av. (3)

REPAIR SHOP—For sale, established shoe repair business; good location; low rent; power machines; good opening for live man. Box N-192, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—For sale; best chance in city; easy terms; I will rent empty storeroom. 1804 Locust.

RESTAURANT—For sale; doing good business; good location; selling account other business. 3340 Olive st. (5)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; full of roomers; good paying business. Call 2619 Pine.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; beautifully furnished; must sell on account of sickness.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; cheap; will pay for self in four months. 1602 Olive.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; 8 rooms; full of good-paying roomers; must sell; bargain. 1312 Pine. (62)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, 9 well furnished rooms; all rented; must sell. 3221 Bell.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale; 14 rooms; well rented and furnished; also 11-room house, cheap for cash; bargain. Apply 3034 Washington av.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, a money-making rooming house, 8 rooms, stone front, beautiful yard; in 2900 block Franklin av. Call on Johnston, 2701 Pine. (c)

ROUTE—For sale, good afternoon route; owner must sell and will sacrifice; full information given in Post-Dispatch Circulation Department. (8)

Business Cards

BUSINESS ANNOUCEMENTS

AAAI—Cheapest place in town for printing. McGill & Co., 121 N. 11th st. (14c)

HAIR CUT, 10c; shave, 10c; shampoo, 10c; hand or electric massage, 10c; neck shave, 5c; all first-class work; bath, 10c. Numa House Barber Shop. 1611½ Market st.

PAPER HANGING, 15c per roll, including paper; samples brought to residence; best work. Nagel Co., 1714 Texas, Grand 2491. (c7)

L. Grossman, Ladies' Tailor,

Formerly 404 N. Broadway, now at 612 N. Taylor, near Washington; ladies' suits from $35 up. Bell Forest 5351; Kinloch Del. 1673. (62c)

LACE CURTAIN CLEANING

MARY MURPHY, sanitary lace curtain cleaner, formerly 2018 Olive, now 4325 St. Louis av. Delmar 1791. (2)

STEAM CARPET CLEANING

EMPIRE STEAM CARPET CO.—Carpets taken up, cleaned and made over and laid; lowest prices. 2123 Lucas; Bomont 220; Central 4805. (8c)

STORAGE AND MOVING

ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF WAREHOUSES—New and indestructible for safekeeping furniture; pianos, valuables, trunks, boxes, etc.; clean rooms, strictly first-class; moving, packing, shipping; ship goods our care; money advanced; get our rates. R. U. LEONORI AUCTION & STORAGE CO., Grank and Laclede; both phones. (8c)

AMERICAN STORAGE AND MOVING CO., Langdale Bros.; both phones; insurance rate 30c per $100 a year; ask others theirs; investigate; new re-inforced concrete fireproof warehouse; insurance the lowest; responsibility the highest. Main office, 2315 Olive st. (8c)

BONDED WAREHOUSE—Henry C. Wiehe Furniture and Storage Co., 1512-14-16 Franklin av.; money advanced when desired. Phone Central 4303. (8c)

W. DAVIS, 1429 Old Manchester rd.; expert mover; second-hand furniture. (8c)

NEW YORK STORAGE CO., 2219 Wash st., expert packing and moving; 900 storage rooms; our own buildings. (17)

SOUTH SIDE STORAGE & MOVING CO., 1901-1903 Sidney st.; telephone Sidney 235; Kinloch Victor 607. (8)

Fireproof Sanitary Storage

Our new fireproof warehouse is now ready to receive storage; insurance rates the lowest; we will also move, pack and ship your goods at the lowest rates; get our prices; money advanced; furniture taken in exchange for moving. Bomont 685, Central 6112. STOECKER & PRICE, 2918-20 Franklin, Walter C. Taylor, Mgr. (8c)

"INDESTRUCTIBLE" The FIREPROOF STORAGE Co.

2301-15 Washington av. Phones, Bomont 3160, Central 1501. Brand new $250,000 fireproof warehouse. Lowest insurance; private vaults. (57xc)

LANGAN & TAYLOR FIREPROOF STORAGE

SANITARY WAREHOUSES. INSURANCE RATE, 25c PER HUNDRED. Main office, 1822 Washington av.; Bomont [illegible] Central 3458. (50c)

Professional

DENTISTS

[illegible] teeth [illegible] to Dr. Bernhardt, [illegible] Olive st. (c62)

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

ADVICE FREE—All cases promptly and quietly; easy payments. 420 Market st., room 1. (8c)

ADVICE FREE—Damage suits and all legal matters respectively attended to. Central Law Bureau, 806 Chestnut, room 206. (8c)

ALL CASES on weekly payments; advice free. 522 Pine st., room 2. (4)

ALL legal matters, damage and pension cases faithfully attended to; advice free. 1023 Chestnut st. (8c)

DANCING

BELLEVUE DANCING ACADEMY, King's highway and Easton; receptions Thursdays, Saturdays, Sunday afternoons and evenings; classes Tuesday and Friday evenings; all the latest dances taught and guaranteed. B. T. Jennings, manager. (9)

CAVE HALL, Olive and 29th sts.; select parties every Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday evening, Sunday afternoon and evening. Lessons Tuesday and Friday evening. Best floor and music in the city. Ahern & Albers. (8c)

CONCORDIA CLUB HALL, 1441 Chouteau, parties every Wednesday evening, continuous dancing Sunday afternoon and evening; lessons Monday and Friday evening. (7)

DANCING—Wednesday and Saturday evening, Liederkranz Hall, 3940 Easton; admission, gents, 25c; ladies, 10c, including cloaks. F. C. Meinhardt, Mgr. (3)

NEWSUM'S HALL, 1412 N. Grand; receptions Wednesday, Saturday, Sunday afternoon and evening; classes Monday and Friday evenings; private lessons afternoons. H. A. Newsum, proprietor. (6)

PROF. AND MRS. ROTH guarantee all dances one term; reduced rates month January; lessons Tuesday, Friday evening; receptions Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday evenings. Coliseum Dancing Academy, 1107 Pine st. (7)

WE guarantee to teach you to dance in one term. Schwenk's Academy, 3300 Easton av.; class for beginners Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings; receptions Sunday afternoons and evenings. (6)

NATIONAL Dancing Academy, 1302 Olive; guarantee all dances one term; lessons every day and evening; private any hour; receptions Sunday night; best instructors. (6)

INSTRUCTION

COURSE—Complete shorthand or bookkeeping course, $20; nights, 3 months, $12; 1 month, $5. W. E. Hartsock, 1029 N. Taylor; Gertrude Hartsock, 4548A Page. Call day or night; investigate.

YOUNG LADIES Wtd.—To learn hair dressing; also apprentices. Hirsch's, 506 N. 6th, 3567 Olive st. (3)

FREE TYPEWRITER EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

Elliott-Fisher School, 2d floor, Victoria Bldg. Our six weeks' course will prepare for positions as bill and entry clerk; bookkeeping and adding taught on machine; railroad way and expense billing, abstract writing, etc.; individual instruction; excellent opportunity for young men and women; free employment department. Call or write for information. (c8)

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

LEARN watchmaking; position secured; easy terms; send for catalogue. St. Louis Watchmaking School, 5815 Easton av., St. Louis, Mo. (62c)

MEDICAL

DR. NEWELL, specialist, guarantees a cure in special diseases. Jefferson and Market. (62c)

DR. WILLIAMS, specialist, corner Olive and 14th sts.; successfully treats and cures, under absolute guarantee or money refunded, all acute, chronic, deep-seated and special diseases of men and women; small charge for medicines only. (3)

THEATRICAL

AMATEURS Wtd.—Tonight at the Alps; 3 cash prizes. 4124 Easton. (52c)

AMATEURS Wtd.—Tonight; prizes given. 2015 Franklin av.

AMATEURS Wtd.—At the Villa, 303 S. Jefferson av., every Wednesday night.

AMATEURS Wtd.—Tonight, at the Surprise Theater, 2703 Lafayette av.; 3 cash prizes.

AMATEURS Wtd.—Try your luck again tonight; our audiences give you square deal; prizes, $3, $2, $1, 50c; same stand, Jefferson and Dodier.

AMATEURS Wtd.—Tonight; over 16 years old; well heated; 3 cash prizes; rehearsal 7 o'clock; good stage. Bell Theater, 6210 Easton av.

AMATEURS Wtd.—Singers, at 2726 Lafayette av., Sunday evening, Jan. 30; three prizes, $3, $2 and $1; must be neat; communicate at once to get on program. (3)

AMATEURS Wtd.—At McKinley Park Odeon, 3435 Williams pl., Friday nights, 3 cash prizes; Union av. car to Natural Bridge rd. (68)

COSTUMES, wigs, beards, for rent and sale. A. Fueger, 521 Walnut st. (8c)

LADY Wtd.—small young lady to travel with man and wife to take light parts on the stage. Address Prof. Montrose, mgr., Monett, Mo. (2)

MANAGER Wtd.—For moving picture stock company. 1528 S. 7th st. (c)

MASQUERADE costumes, wigs, beards for rent. A. Hahn, 1266 S. Broadway. Kinloch Central 6394R. (65c)

MASQUERADE and theatrical costumes and wigs for rent and made to order; country orders solicited. Robert Schmidt, 206-208 S. 4th st. (8c)

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Marriages, Births and Deaths

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Paul J. Bacigalupo	211 S. Garrison
Anna Sellins	1432A N. Garrison
James E. Grady	Jefferson Hotel
Josie C. Geary	1432 Blackstone
Joseph Hemm	7708 Michigan
Mamie O'Keefe	7721 Ivory
Joseph Eaton	622 S. Broadway
Eva Renner	622 S. Broadway
John O. Schrodl	6816 Pennsylvania
Johanna E. Herye	7413 S. Broadway
Joseph J. Venaskie	Shamokin, Pa
Mrs. Annie Morr	2817 N. 14th
Antoni Potocki	706 O'Fallon
Marya Wieckowska	706 O'Fallon
Jozef Waluska	325 E. Stein
Katarzyna Lewkowska	325 E. Stein
John Schneider	2150 College
Laura K. Pfaff	4223A Harris
Walter Ruszkowski	1817 N. 10th
Mrs. Wladyslawa Cytacka	1720 N. 11th
John Hummel	2001 S. 2d
Augusta Hoerner	1713 S. 10th
Lesley J. May	1714 N. Whittier
Vivian Viola Edwards	4442A Kennerly
Eugene Shannon	1815 Wash
Mrs. Maggie Dillion	1815 Wash
Robert Diggs	1517 Pine
Mrs. Daisy Washington	1517 Pine
Britt King	412 S. 15th
Mrs. Julia C. Cobb	2737A Morgan
Fred James Fields	4213 Racecourse
Sarah L. Thomas	4213 Racecourse
Walter B. Robinson	3808 Morgan
Ida M. Canaan	4459 Cottage
Abe Friedman	810 N. 11th
Esther Lasky	1109 N. 11th
George Clem	203 N. 13th
Emma Reinarman	2703 N. Spring
Joseph S. Sudbeck	2761 Beacon
Amalia Gramann	5633 N. Magnolia
Alexander King	Galesburg, Ill
Mary E. Talbot	Memphis, Tenn
Robert Jones	1228 Spruce
Maud Blackwell	1228 Spruce
Fred J. Ahrens	Nashville, Ill
Katie L. Tinnemeyer	1509 N. 17th
Mandel Solomon	1113 Biddle
Lena Cohen	2316 Biddle
William Fred Palmer	1032 Park
Annie Brennan	1030 Park
Joseph Karpowicz	1414 N. 13th
Antonia Jarembowska	1414 N. 13th
George Hagel	3711 Olive
Mrs. Ella S. Stair	North Yakima, Wash
George Stockmann	2220 Howard
Eva A. Schneider	1416 Arlington
Cary W. Townsend	Oklahoma City, Ok
Isabelle M. Hooss	3461 Park
William G. Muth	6718 Oakland
Katherine E. Gerhart	4145 Chouteau
Nathaniel McDonald	3840 Washington
Helen Stevens Whitman	4246 Delmar
Sidney C. Tracy	40 Westmoreland
Elizabeth B. Tierney	4036 St. Ferdinand
Andrew McBurney	5981 Garfield
Jennie W. Frisbie	5037 Maple
Arthur Patterson	604 Clark
Geneva Anderson	604 Clark
Harvey T. Norris	Kansas City, Mo
Mae Devine	1301 S. Boyle
Sidney R. Williamson	2810 Russell
Agnes E. Lansing	1552 S. Broadway
John T. Halloran	1600 Cass
Anne F. Shevlin	1426 Hogan

East St. Louis.

Michael J. Kickham	East St. Louis
Catherine N. Nester	East St. Louis
John Harvol	East St. Louis
Julia Vidovich	East St. Louis

St. Charles.

Robert Baldridge	Pocahontas, Mo
Alice Lalumendier	Farmington, Mo

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BIRTHS RECORDED.

M. and M. Matic, 2201 Franklin; boy.
H. and O. Hickford, 2206 College; boy.
C. and P. Schmid, 3411 Missouri; boy.
J. and M. O'Brien, 1428 Biddle; boy.
H. and R. Appel, 1104 High; boy.
W. and G. Bormann, 2244 Dodier; boy.
L. and R. Rosental, 1109 N. 13th; boy.
J. and A. Back, 1102 N. 13th; boy.
T. and C. Adams, 434 Wilmington; boy.
E. and — Looney, 1110 Channing; boy.
L. and V. Jankousk, 5206 S. Compton; boy.
H. and J. Kammeron, 218 Lafayette; boy.
A. and E. Tietzen, 1924 Wright; boy.
R. and J. Moll, 7812 Pennsylvania; boy.
J. and E. West, 3411A Chippewa; girl.
W. and S. Bodeman, 5215 N. Broadway; girl.
J. and M. De Vereaux, 3000 Osage; girl.
M. and L. Grabowsky, 1442 N. 14th; girl.
B. and S. Fischlowitz, 5392 Wells; girl.
J. and N. Marks, 1507 S. 7th; girl.
R. and V. Brank, 5061 Morgan; girl.
I. and M. Goldmann, 823 N. 18th; girl.
W. and K. Muller, 4573 Lucky; girl.
J. and M. Keehn, 1002 Barton; girl.
F. and F. Benish, 5030 Idaho; girl.
S. and I. Jacobs, 910 N. 13th; girl.
D. and R. Lerch, 914 N. 13th; girl.
A. and M. Albrecht, 1804 Allen; girl.
C. and E. Wisecup, 2248 Bernays; girl.
H. and E. Cockrell, 6724 Vulcan; girl.
T. and H. Reichert, 3014 S. Broadway; girl.
W. and M. Tulock, 328 Victor; girl.
J. and E. Kuntz, 2301 Dodier; girl.
H. and A. Garlich, 1546A N. 19th; girl.

East St. Louis.

E. and J. Smith, 1114 N. 9th; boy.
O. and R. Dorsey, 5400 Ohio; girl.

BURIAL PERMITS.

Edw. H. Cottrell, 32, 8360A Church rd.; accident.
Amanda Allender, 51, 5057 Morgan; accident.
Pierce R. Wallace, 25, 4th and Locust; accident.
Clement O'Connor, 40, 919 La Salle; pneumonia.
Gitte Cohen, 48, 1929A Burd; phthisis.
Wm. Mayer, 47, 5571 Weller; accident.
C. Eaton, 59, 112 S. 4th; cirrhosis.
George Green, 36, 711 N. 14th; pneumonia.
John Kitchen, 20, 1909A Chouteau; stenosis.
Felix McLaughlin, 47, 5263 Theodosia; heart disease.
Philip J. Herpel, 49, 1520 Wagoner; hemorrhage.
Anna Keyes, 76, 1523 Pine; pneumonia.
Nieko Bagojov, 27, 213 Lesperance; phthisis.
Elizabeth Johnson, 68, 4624 Margaretta; paralysis.
Frank Simon, 45, Affton, Mo.; accident.
Henry Hafferkamp, 60, 3411A Pestalozzi; carcinoma.
Peter Petz, 84, 2941 Pine; heart disease.
Dennis E. Kimbro, 24, 2914 Dickson; septicemia.
George Kopf, 46, 217 Russell; cirrhosis.
David W. Haydock, 65, 6001 Maple; hemorrhage.
Anna Malloy, 3641 Lucky; pneumonia.
John Ellispermann, 78, 1814 Menard; hemorrhage.
Carolina Riecke, 84, 1906 Lafayette; bronchitis.
Julia Sheridan, 30, 830 S. 10th; enterocolitis.
Johannah Rank, 59, 3141 Shenandoah; hemorrhage.
Henry Meyering, 53, 1511 Destrehan; phthisis.
Simon Fehrweiser, 68, 1856 North Market; bronchitis.
Chas. B. Cotter, 25, 1362 Granville; tuberculosis.
Anna Larmer, 77, 3761 Kosiusko; interstinal obstruction.
Elizabeth Cullinane, 97, 1224 N. 14th; senility.
Dominick Bartola, 46, 807 N. 8th; abscess.
John Angle, 45, 2110 Blair; nephritis.
Joseph Fessner, 67, 1012 Victor; senility.
Justus Hess, 73, 3540 S. Broadway; apoplexy.
Isabella Fitzpatrick, 64, 6804 Minnesota; pneumonia.
Pollens Huniady, 61, 6916 Pennsylvania (rear); tuberculosis.
Wm. D. Butler, 81, 6706 Virginia; accident.
Jacob Henney, 71, 8511 Minnesota; heart disease.
Floyd Marriott, 33, Osawatomie, Kan.; hemorrhage.
John D. Meyer, 52, 2567A Montgomery; suicide.
Charles Carroll, 44, 3427 Oregon; suicide.
John K. Hemmen, 24, 1609 S. 13th; pneumonia.
Ed Langan, 40, 2411 Bacon; uremia.
Michael McCune, 53, 4338 Clayton; heart disease.

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Henry Hempe, 75, 1101 Tudor; nephritis.
Anna E. Lucier, 21, 721 N. 10th; tuberculosis.

Wall Flowers.

From the Nashville Banner.

"They are as bitter," laughed Senator Beveridge anent two candidates, "as the two ladies at the Halloween party. The young lady said spitefully, as she sat beside the other during a waltz—they were both wall flowers—'I wonder, dear, if I shall lose my looks, too, when I get to be your age?'

"'You'll be lucky if you do,' snapped the older lady."

DOUBLE KILLING LAST CHAPTER OF LEMOYNE CASE

Charles O. Tucker, Who Deserted Former St. Louis Beauty, Slain by Woman.

SHE THEN ENDS LIFE

Couple Are Found Shot to Death in Seattle Lodging House.

The tragedy resulting in the death of Charles O. Tucker, formerly of St. Louis, and Miss Elvira M. Bunkelman, whose bodies were found in a room at a hotel in Seattle, Wash., closes a romance which linked the names of Tucker and Loraine Lemoyne, a former St. Louis beauty, who killed herself in Seattle three months ago.

Tucker and Miss Bunkelman had been dead since Friday. The pearl-handled revolver which had been used in the double tragedy was in the hand of the young woman when the bodies were found Monday on the floor of Tucker's room in a fashionable hotel. The woman was dressed in street attire. It is the theory of the Seattle police that Miss Bunkelman asked Tucker for money and shot him after a quarrel, then shooting herself.

Ten years ago Tucker was a prominent figure in St. Louis. He drew a large salary as a furniture buyer and was a member of many clubs. He met Loraine Lemoyne when she was at the height of her fame as one of St. Louis' beauties. In 1900 Tucker and the Lemoyne woman went to Salt Lake City, and later to Seattle, where they lived as man and wife.

Tucker prospered there as a furniture dealer and amassed a considerable fortune. After a few years he tired of the Lemoyne woman with the passing of her once famous beauty, and left her. Last November, driven to desperation by poverty and loss of friends, Loraine Lemoyne entered a cheap lodging house in Seattle and swallowed carbolic acid, ending her life.

The Lemoyne woman's farewell note was a plea that her 11-year-old daughter be cared for. After her death Tucker at first denied that he had ever known the woman. He later relented and paid the funeral expenses and promised to find a home for the child.

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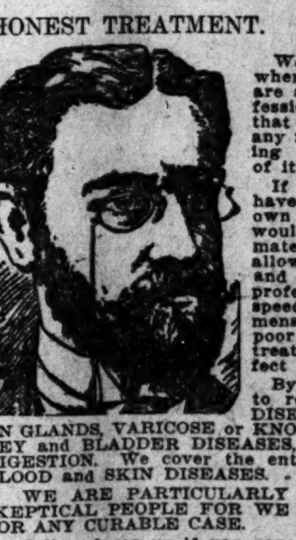
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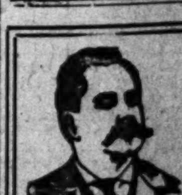
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HEAVY DECLINES IN N. Y. STOCKS; MARKET ACTIVE

Standard Issues Sell Off From 2 to 4 Points; Sales Heavy.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25, 12:30 p. m.—Although there was a recovery towards noon from the heavy losses suffered in the early part of the forenoon, yet the declines at the noon hour were of a serious character. Both divisions of the Exchange were equally affected. The most prominent issues were the hardest hit. Political developments at Washington is assigned as the chief cause of today's break.

U. S. Steel stocks receded 1 point each, Laclede Gas and Colorado Fuel 1¾ each, North American 1½, Smelting, Utah Copper and Locomotive 2 each, Pressed Steel and Amalgamated 2½ each, Consolidated Gas 3, Car and Foundry 3¼ and Lead 3½ points.

In the rails division, Canadian Pacific, Southern Pacific and Wabash common declined 1 each, B. R. T., N. Y. Central, and Rock Island common 1¼ each, Atchison, C. & O., Erie, and Texas Pacific 1½ each, Missouri Pacific, D. & R. G. and Wabash preferred 2 each, Reading 2¼, Rock Island preferred and Union Pacific 3 each.

In the matter of trading it was the most active forenoon session of the year, the total sales to noon aggregating 830,100 shares.

The bears commenced another aggressive campaign in stocks at the opening of the market today, with the result that sharp declines were registered all along the line. Recessions ranged between a large fraction and 2 points. United States Steel was again the object of heavy pressure, simultaneous sales in the initial trading being made at 1¼ and 1⅞ points under the closing figures. Smelting and Copper were also very weak, and the Harriman Pacifics, Delaware & Hudson, Colorado Southern and Chesapeake & Ohio were the heaviest of the rail stocks.

In the industrials, Utah Copper and American Car and Foundry lost ½ each, North American, Steel preferred and Colorado Fuel ⅝ each, Amalgamated 1⅝, Smelting 1½ and Consolidated Gas 2 points. Anaconda was the only prominent issue in the entire list to record an opening gain, its advance, however, being only ⅛ point.

In the railway list Wabash preferred declined ¼, Pennsylvania and St. Paul ⅝ each, Atchison, Erie, Northern Pacific, Inter-Met. common and Louisville & Nashville ½ each, Brooklyn Rapid Transit and the "Soo" line ⅝ each, Great Northern, Reading and Rock Island common, ¾ each, New York Central ⅞, Canadian Pacific and the Harriman Pacifics 1 each, Delaware & Hudson 1¼, Chesapeake & Ohio 1⅝ and Colorado Southern common 2 points.

Baltimore & Ohio and Missouri Pacific were unchanged. At the end of the first half hour's trading prices had declined considerably. Union Pacific, Reading and Chesapeake & Ohio lost 2 points each, Southern Pacific and Northern Pacific 1 each, and the other rail issues lesser fractions. The industrials also weakened, Smelting and Steel declining a further ½ point each, and Amalgamated Copper 1¾ points.

American Securities in London were heavy, being from ⅛ to ½ below parity.

DETAILED ACCOUNT OF TRADING ON WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—A violent break in prices of stocks occurred in the opening dealings under a flood of selling orders. The most active speculative favorites were most vulnerable. Reading ran off 4 points within a few minutes of the opening; International Harvester 4½ and Chesapeake & Ohio 3⅝, Amalgamated Copper broke 2¾, General Electric and Union Pacific 2½, Consolidated Gas and Colorado & Southern 2; Southern Pacific 1⅝ and American Smelting and Utah Copper 1½. In United States Steel there were sales of 12,000 shares at 83¼ to 82⅞, compared with 84⅝ yesterday.

Furious activity continued throughout the first hour and severe declines were made in many stocks. The break in Chesapeake & Ohio reached 4½. Consolidated Gas and Union Pacific 3⅝, Amalgamated Copper 3¼, American Smelting 3, Southern Pacific and United States Steel 2⅝, General Electric and International Pump 2½, Rock Island, Kansas & Texas and National Lead 2¼ and practically all the active stocks from 1 to 2 points. Feverish rallies from time to time were followed by renewed outpouring of stocks and fresh breaks in prices.

There came a pause in the flood of liquidation towards noon and prices rallied slightly, bringing down the rate of activity at once. Up to that time there had been declines running in Consolidated Gas to 6⅜, American Beet Sugar 6¼, Union Pacific 5⅛, Amalgamated Copper 4⅝, American Smelting, National Lead 4¼, American Linseed preferred 4, and Southern Pacific, Atlantic Coast Line, St. Louis & San Francisco, Pittsburg Coal preferred, Rock Island preferred, Chicago & Alton, Great Northern Ore certificates, General Electric, Pullman and Utah Copper 3 to 3½. Bonds were weak.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The general market resisted the drive against Reading and then rallied vigorously. Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Reading, Chesapeake & Ohio, United States Steel and Consolidated Gas rallying 2 to 2½. Some more selling orders were distributed at the high level of the recovery and prices shaded off a fraction, but came up again.

NEW BOND ISSUE.

A new issue of underlying bonds of the Broadway division of the United Railways Co., bearing 4½ per cent and amounting to $1,884,000 is on the market. They are to replace the 5-per-cent Broadways at present in force, and which expire in May next. The new bonds will be extended from that date.

D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co. and the Mississippi Valley Trust Co. have charge of this flotation.

Foreign Exchange.

The Mercantile Trust Co. quotes foreign exchange:

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 25.

Cable transfer, London	$4.8680
Check, London	4.8650
60 days, London	4.84
Check, Germany	95.12
Check, Paris	5.1750
Check, Switzerland	5.1750
Check, Belgium	5.1875
Check, Austria	20.32
Check, Holland	40.25
Market firm.	

ST. LOUIS MONEY MARKET.

Call money weakened today and loaned at 4½ per cent in St. Louis. Most of the bankers continued to plead 5 per cent as the minimum discount rate, but there was not very much paper offered even at that. Commercial paper houses reported a very fair inquiry for the better character of bills, but reported no very important new feature in the market.

New York Stock Quotations.

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by Francis, Bro. & Co., 214 North Fourth street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Noon.	Change From Last Close.
AMERICAN CAN COMMON	12	12	11¼	11¼	-⅝
DO PREFERRED	76½	76½	75½	75½	-2
AMALGAMATED COPPER	81⅛	81⅛	77⅞	78⅛	-4⅜
AM. A. CHEM. COMMON	44⅜	44⅜	43½	43½	-2
AM. CAR & FDY. CO. COMMON	64½	64½	62	62	-3
DO PREFERRED	117	.....	.....	117	-½
AMERICAN COTTON OIL	62¼	62¼	60	60	-2¾
AM. LOCOMOTIVE COMMON	52½	52½	50⅜	50¾	-2½
AMERICAN SMELTING COMMON	92	92¼	89½	89½	-4
AM. BEET SUGAR	40	40	34	35	-5½
AMERICAN SUGAR	120	120	119½	119¾	-⅜
AMERICAN WOOL COMMON	33⅜	.....	.....	63⅜	*⅜
DO PREFERRED	100¼	.....	.....	100¼	-1¼
AMERICAN ICE	23½	23⅛	22¼	22¼	-⅞
AM. TELEGRAPH	136⅜	137	135¼	135¼	-2
AM. TOBACCO PREFERRED	93¼	93¼	93	93	-½
ANACONDA COPPER	49⅜	49⅜	49	49	-⅝
ATCHISON COMMON	116⅜	116⅜	114⅞	115⅝	-1⅝
DO PREFERRED	103⅜	103⅜	103¼	103¼	-½
BROOKLYN RAPID TRANSIT	72½	72½	70⅝	71¼	-1⅞
BALTIMORE & OHIO	115⅝	115⅝	114½	115	-⅜
CANADIAN PACIFIC	179	179	178	178	-½
C. C. C. & ST. LOUIS	77	.....	.....	77	-2¼
CENTRAL LEATHER COMMON	42½	42½	40	40	-2½
C. M. & ST. P. COMMON	146½	146½	145¼	145½	-1⅜
DO PREFERRED	167½	167½	166⅜	166⅜	-¼
CHICAGO NORTHWEST	156½	156½	155¼	155¼	-2⅜
COLO. FUEL & IRON	42⅝	42⅜	40⅞	41	-2¼
COLORADO SOUTHERN COMMON	56	.....	.....	56	-2
DO FIRST PREFERRED	81	81¼	81	81⅛	-⅛
DO SECOND PREFERRED	80	.....	.....	80	-½
CONSOLIDATED GAS	145	145¼	140¼	141½	-5½
CORN P. R. COMMON	19¼	19½	18⅞	18⅞	-¾
DO PREFERRED	83	.....	.....	83	-¼
CHICAGO & ALTON COMMON	59	59	58	58	-3
CHESAPEAKE & OHIO	83½	83½	81⅝	82½	-2½
DELAWARE & HUDSON	174⅞	174⅞	172	172	-4
DIS. SEC. COR.	33	33	32	32	-1⅜
D. & R. G. COMMON	42½	42½	39½	39⅞	-4⅜
DO PREFERRED	79⅜	79½	79¼	79½	-1½
ERIE COMMON	29⅞	29⅞	28	28⅝	-1⅜
DO FIRST PREFERRED	48	48	46½	46½	-1⅝
DO SECOND PREFERRED	37	37	35½	35½	-2¼
GENERAL ELECTRIC	152	152	150	150	-3½
GREAT NORTHERN PREFERRED	132⅜	133⅛	131⅜	132¼	-1¼
GREAT NORTHERN ORE	73¼	73¼	70⅞	70⅞	-3⅛
ILLINOIS CENTRAL	142½	142½	141⅜	142	-1½
INTERBORO MET. COMMON	21	21	20½	20½	-1
DO PREFERRED	55	55	53⅞	54	-2
INTERN. PAPER COMMON	18⅝	13⅝	13¼	13¼	-½
HARVESTER	120	120	117½	117½	-5
KANSAS CITY SOU. COMMON	38⅛	38½	36⅝	37	-2¼
DO PREFERRED	68⅝	68⅝	68	68	-1⅞
LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE	145¼	145¼	144	144	-1⅜
LACLEDE GAS	105½	105½	103⅜	103⅜	-2
M., K. & T. COMMON	43	43	41¼	41⅝	-3⅜
MISSOURI PACIFIC	70	70	68	68⅜	-1⅞
M., ST. P. & S. S. M.	135½	135½	134½	134⅛	-1⅜
NORTH AMERICAN	77⅜	77⅜	76	76⅜	-1¼
NATIONAL ENAMEL COMMON	23¼	23¼	23	23	-1¼
NATIONAL LEAD COMMON	84½	84½	80⅜	81¼	-3¼
NORTHERN PACIFIC	134¼	134¼	133⅞	134	-¾
NEW YORK CENTRAL	117½	118	116⅞	117⅛	-1¼
N. Y., CHI. & ST. LOUIS	60	60	59½	59½	-5
NEW YORK, ONTARIO & WESTERN	45	45	44	44	-1¼
NORFOLK & WESTERN	96⅜	96⅜	95	95	-1¼
PACIFIC MAIL	34	.....	.....	34	
PENNSYLVANIA	131⅜	131⅞	130⅜	131½	-⅝
PEOPLE'S GAS	111½	111½	109	109⅝	-1⅜
PITTS., C., C., & ST. L.	97½	97½	97	97	...
PULLMAN CO.	193	193	192	192	-3
P. S. CAR COMMON	44½	44½	42	42	-3½
READING SECOND PREFERRED	100⅜	.....	.....	100¼	-3
REP. I. & S. COMMON	38	38	36½	36½	-2
DO PREFERRED	100	.....	.....	100	-2
READING COMMON	159½	159¼	156	156⅜	-3¼
ROCK ISLAND COMMON	42	42	39⅜	40⅝	-1⅞
DO PREFERRED	84	84	81	81	-3⅝
RAILWAY S. S. COMMON	44½	44½	44	44	-2½
SOUTHERN PACIFIC	128	128	125½	126⅜	-2¼
SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMMON	30⅛	30⅛	29	29	-1⅛
DO PREFERRED	66⅜	66⅜	65	65	-2
STEEL FOUNDRY (new stock)	63	63	61⅞	61⅞	-2⅛
ST. L. & S. F. SECOND PREFERRED	54	54	51⅛	51⅛	-3⅛
ST. L. S. W. COMMON	28⅛	28⅛	27⅞	28	-1
DO PREFERRED	72½	72½	72	72	-1
TEXAS PACIFIC	32	32	30⅛	30⅛	-1½
THIRD AV.	15	15	14⅛	14⅝	-⅞
TOLEDO COMMON	44⅞	.....	.....	44⅜	-3
TWIN CITY	112⅜	.....	.....	112⅜	*¼
UNION PACIFIC COMMON	189	189	184⅞	186	-4
DO PREFERRED	99½	99½	98⅛	98½	-1
UNITED STATES RUBBER	44¼	44¼	44	44	-1¼
U. S. C. I. P. AND F. CO.	27¼	27¼	27	27	-2
U. S. STEEL COMMON	83¼	83¼	81⅛	82¼	-2½
DO PREFERRED	122⅜	122⅜	121½	121⅝	*1⅝
UTAH COPPER	51	51	48¼	48⅛	-3
VIRGINIA-C. C. C.	52⅞	52⅞	50	50	-3
WABASH COMMON	21¼	21¼	20	20⅛	-1⅝
DO PREFERRED	49	49	47⅛	47⅜	-1⅞
WESTINGHOUSE	72½	72½	70¼	70¼	-2⅜
WISCONSIN CENTRAL COMMON	50½	.....	.....	50½	*½
WESTERN UNION	71½	71½	69½	69⅜	-2⅜

*Advanced. -Declined. ....Unchanged.

Sales to noon, 830,100 shares.

PRICES ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE WELL MAINTAINED

Depression in New York Not Felt On the Local Market.

The severe depression on the New York stock market had little, if any, effect on the course of prices at the forenoon session of the local Stock Exchange, Tuesday. Quotations were practically the same as on Monday.

A 25-share lot of Union Trust sold at 405. This is ex-dividend of 4 per cent. Railways preferred were unchanged and the 4s were a trifle lower at the close of the session.

Hydraulic Brick and Candy were about parity.

Forenoon Session.

	Bid.	Asked.
Boatmen's Bank	228½	.....
Jefferson Bank	125	.....
Nat. Bank of Commerce	222	223
State National Bank	201	.....
Commonwealth Trust	107	109
Mississippi Valley Trust	295	.....
Title Guarantee Trust	.....	81
United Railways com	19	.....
do preferred	69¼	69½
do 4s	82⅝	82¾
St. L. & Sub. gen. 5s	91	.....
Compton Heights 6s	104	104½
Taylor Avenue 6s	.....	104
E. St. L. & Sub. pfd	.....	78½
Laclede Gas 5s	103	103¼
K. C. Home Tel. 5s	.....	92
do 5s ($500)	.....	92
Union Sand and Material	119	121
Simmons Hardware 1st pfd	126	.....
Hydraulic Press-Brick com	18	.....
do preferred	.....	94
Chicago Ry. Equipment	85	.....
Consolidated Coal	.....	21
Granite-Bimetallic	30	31¼
National Candy com	26	26½

SALES.

$1000 St. Louis & Suburban general 5s at 91¼.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 83.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 83.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 83.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 82¾.
$1000 Laclede Gas 1st 5s at 103.
$1000 Laclede Gas 1st 5s at 103.
$1000 K. C. Home Telephone 5s at 91½.
10 United Railways pfd. at 69.
15 United Railways pfd. at 69¼.
30 United Railways pfd. at 69¼.
7 Bank of Commerce at 222½.
8 Bank of Commerce at 222¼.
5 National Candy com. at 26¼.
10 *Hydraulic Brick com. at 18.
50 Hydraulic Brick com. at 18.
5 Hydraulic Brick com. at 18.
1 United Railways com. at 20.
3 United Railways com. at 19.
*25 St. Louis Union Trust at 405.
*10 Union Sand and Material at 120.
*2 Union Sand and Material at 120.
*2 United Railways preferred at 69½.

*Intersessions sales.

AFTERNOON SESSION

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Boatmen's Bank	228½	.....
Jefferson Bank	125	.....
Mechanics-American National	.....	299
National Bank of Commerce	.....	223
State National Bank	.....	202
Commonwealth Trust	107	109
Mercantile Trust	.....	389
Mississippi Valley Trust	.....	296
United Railways com	19	20
do pfd	69	69⅜
do 4s	82⅝	82¾
St. L. & Sub. general 5s	.....	91¼
A. G. & St. L. 5s	.....	94
K. C. Home Tel.	97⅝	.....
do 5s ($100)	.....	91¾
American Central Insurance	181	.....
Union Sand & Material	120	120½
Kennard Carpet com	111	.....
Hargadine-McK. 2d pfd	.....	85
Hydraulic Press Brick com	17½	18
St. L. Brew. Ass'n 6s	93	.....
National Candy com	25⅝	26
do 2d pfd	99	.....
Missouri Electric Light 6s	110	.....

SALES.

25 National Candy common at 26.
25 National Candy common at 26¼.
10 Hydraulic Press Brick preferred at 93.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 82⅝.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 82⅝.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 82⅝.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 82⅝.
$1000 United Railways 4s at 82⅝.
5 United Railways preferred at 69¼.
2 United Railways preferred at 69¼.
10 American Central Insurance at 181.
5 Bankers Trust at 216.
*$1000 United Railways 4s at 82⅝.

*Intersessions sale.

EAST ST. LOUIS NOTES.

Thirteen members of the January class of the East St. Louis High School will be graduated Tuesday night. The exercises will be opened by an address by the class president, Frank Eversull. Supt. Miller will then introduce the speaker of the evening, Francis G. Blair, Superintendent of Instruction of Illinois. William A. Moody, president of the Board of Education, will present the diplomas. Music will be furnished by the High School Orchestra under the leadership of Clarence Simpson.

The members of the class are Frank Eversull, president; Elsie Moore, vice-president; Susie Manners, secretary; Herbert Allen, treasurer; Angie Weir Decker, class poet; Adele Divine, Flora Doran, Lizzie Spaulding, Jessie Rodenberg, Ruth Lentz, Ralph Allen, Ed Mauer and Elmer Huninger.

At the annual meeting and dinner of the East St. Louis Real Estate Exchange at the Elks' clubrooms, Monday night, a vigorous advertising campaign was decided upon for the ensuing year. An Advertising Committee, comprising C. O. McCasland, chairman; R. V. Clarke and J. B. Sikking was appointed to head the movement. The committee expects to raise $25,000 during the year to spend in advertising the city.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows: Thomas L. Fekete, president; Joseph N. Keys, secretary; R. A. Munger, treasurer. The directors for the year are Thomas J. Canavan, Thomas L. Fekete, R. V. Clark, M. L. Harris, Fred W. Kr..., R. T. Munger, Joseph N. Keys, R. T. Tarding and Nelson A. Schein.

The committees in charge of the arrangements for the Retail Merchants' ball at Lehmann's Music Hall, Feb. 3 will meet at the association rooms, Tuesday night to arrange the final details.

Anthony Christ, 46 years old, was crushed to death in the Terminal Railroad yards, early Tuesday morning. He was caught between the engine and a box car. His home is at 604 North Twenty-second street, St. Louis. He was employed as a hostler at the Wiggins Ferry roundhouse.

Mrs. Bessie Roe filed suit for divorce in the East St. Louis City Court Monday from William C. Roe on the allegation of desertion. They were married Aug. 19, 1906, at Salem, Ill., and a month and six days later Roe left home.

The Investigating Committee of the Evangelical Immanuel Church which was to have gone to Alton Sunday to look at church buildings there will go Wednesday instead.

Patrolman Charles Tisch was suspended from the East St. Louis police force for the third time by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners at the regular monthly meeting Monday night. The charge was insubordination. Fire Chief Charles M. Burke was granted a leave of absence, so that he might take a trip to Cleveland, O., to inspect fire apparatus preparatory to purchasing an aerial truck for No. 1 Engine House. Lawrence O'Neal, fireman at Engine House No. 3, was suspended for being intoxicated while on duty.

Because of the illness of Dr. Richard G. Moulton of Chicago University, the lecture on "Julius Caesar," which was to have been given Thursday night at the high school auditorium will be postponed to the following Thursday.

Special revival meetings will be held each night this week at the Bond Avenue M. E. Church. The services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. D. A. Keane. Special music will be given each evening. Misses June Ash and Grace Emons will sing a duet Tuesday night.

Can't figure it—can you? Call at Rhodes-Burford's and let them help you solve the problem—homes furnished complete on monthly payments.

WOOL MARKET.

BOSTON, Jan. 25.—Wool trading has been very dull and sales confined to small lots, most activity in buying being with the woolen mills, buyers for whom have bought with some freedom of low domestic and foreign grades. Large worsted mills are not operating and all kinds of fine wools are dull. Owing to the advance in prices of crossbreds in London and hardening prices in sympathy at Australasian and South American markets there is a stronger feeling here on medium grades, and general demand is expected to improve, with a larger movement in finished products.

Miscellaneous.

BEANS AND PEAS—On orders from store: White beans—Choice hand-picked at $2.30@2.35; screened or machine-picked at $2.27; choice imported at $2.05, and country at $1.25@1.50—all inferior goods less. Black-eye peas, $2.50@2.60; Scotch peas, $2.25@2.30; split, $2.30 per bushel or $7.50 per barrel of 3¼ bushels. Lima beans, 5@5.10c per pound; lentils, 4@4½c; California pink, 5¼c; red kidney, 5¼@5½c.

GOAT SKINS—Per skin, 7½@10c for small or kids to 35@40c for choice large.

BUCKWHEAT—At $1.50@1.60 per 100 pounds.

STOCK PEAS—At $1.60 per bu for new era to $1.75 for whippoorwill.

BROOM CORN SEED—At $2.25 per 100 pounds.

SUNFLOWER SEED—At $3.50@3.75 per 100 pounds.

BROOM CORN—In car lots on track at from $150@160 per ton for stained, crooked, inferior, etc., to $200@230 for choice self-working.

CASTOR BEANS—At $1.40 per bu.

HOPS—Per pound: New York, 27c; Western, 26@27c; foreign, 70@73c.

HONEY—Per pound: Comb—choice at 15@16c; amber at 13@14c. Extracted or strained—choice Southern in barrels at 6c and in cans at 6¼@7c, old candied 1c less. California, in cans, 7c for amber, 8c for water white; all old and candied 1c per pound less.

SORGHUM—At 30c per gallon.

SORGHUM CANE SEED—At $1.65 per 100 pounds.

POPCORN—Good dry white on cob at $1.25 to $1.50 per 100 pounds.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples—Evaporated rings fair at 6¼@7c, choice at 7½c; quarters—fair at 6¾c, choice at 7c, fancy at 7¼c; cores and peelings at 1c to 1½c, chops at 1½@2c—choice quarters at 5c to 6c. All inferior or poorly handled fruit and other cuts less. Peaches—Sun-dried at 3¾@4½c.

COTTONSEED OIL—Winter white, 63c; do yellow, 62c; summer white, 61c; do yellow 60c; salad, 63c; cooking—white, 62c; yellow, 60c.

WOOL—Quiet; near-by growth—choice 29c; fair, 28c; coarse and braid, 26@27c; burry, 21@24c; hard burry, 16c; lamb at from 18c for burry to 23c for choice. fine at 20c for heavy to 27c for light. Southern and Southwestern—fair to choice, 24c to 28c; sandy and burry, 16c to 17c; slightly burry, 20@24c. Northern and Western—Medium at 25c for dark, to 28c for light; burry at 15c for hard to 24c for slightly; fine at 12c for heavy to 25c for light. Tub-washed at 20c to 37c. Angora goat at 10c to 14c for burry and 14@21c for clear.

RAGS, ETC. (per 100 pounds)—Country rags at 75@90c; old rope at $1.50; rubber boots and shoes—No. 1 at $8.50; No. 2 at $5; No. 3 at $2.50.

GRASS SEEDS (per 100 lbs.)—Timothy at $2.50@2.75 for inferior up to $3.25@3.60 for good—prime worth more; redtop at $8@8.50 for chaffy to $9 for clean; millet nominal at $1.25@1.60; clover at range of $2@5 for poor up to $14 for prime bright—screenings at 50@75c.

HIDES—Unsettled and weak. Green salted—Western, round, 10¾c; Southern, round, 10¼c; No. 1, 11¼c; No. 2, 10¼c; bull, 8½c; glue stock, 5½c. Dry stock—Dry flint, 18¾c; do Italian, 17½c; dry salted, 15½c; dry flint bull, 12½c; culls, 12c. Uncured 1c per pound less; part cured ½c per pound less. Horsehides—No. 1, $2.75 each; No. 2, $1.75; pony and glue, 75c—dry less.

SHEEP PELTS—Full wool pelts at 50c to $1.50 each; lambs at 35@75c; shearings, 10c to 30c. Dry stock at 14c to 15½c per pound.

DEER SKINS—At 33c per pound for prime.

BONES—Bleached in car lots on track, this side, at $17 per ton—smaller lots at $16 to $13.

PEANUTS—At 8@3½c per pound for red.

NUTS—Pecans—Western Oklahoma and Southern at 9c per pound, Texas at 10c; hazel nuts, 5c; black walnuts, 35c per bu; large hickory nuts at 60c; shellbark at $1; Italian chestnuts at 6c per pound.

SALT—Granulated at $1.05 and medium at $1.10 per barrel, track this side.

FEATHERS—Prime white live geese in small sacks at 51c and large sacks at 49c; prime gray do at 39c in small and 37c in large sacks; old white, 36@38c; x, 27@32c; xx, 16@20c; xxx, 10@14c; xxxx, 5c; tare, 10 per cent on small sacks and 5 on large. Duck—White, 38c; dark, 27@30c. Chicken—Prime dry, picked body, 8c—wet, damp and quill-mixed, 2c. Turkey—Tail (straight and clean, no shorts), 32c; wing, 15c; pointers, 5c; tail, wing and pointers, mixed, 10c; dry body, 5c; green body, 1c to 3c.

SCRAP IRON AND METAL (per 100 lbs.)—Heavy cast, 60c; wrought, 53c; malleable steel breakage, 35c; stove, 50c; light brass, $3.25; heavy brass and light copper, $10; heavy copper and copper wire, $11; zinc, $2.75; lead, $3; pewter, $19; tin foil, $23; tea lead, $2.75.

ROOTS—Golden seal at $1.70; ginseng, wild at $6 to $6.25 and cultivated at $5.50 to $6; lady slipper, 16c; seneca root, 32c; pink at 22c; black, dry, 7c; May apple at 3½c; snake root at 39c, angelica at 5c; wahoo—bark of root, 14@16c; bark of tree, 4c; blood at 5½c, blueflag at 5c; sassafras, bark of root at 5c, bark of tree, valueless; wild ginger at 10c; spikenard at 3c; skullcap at 7c.

LINSEED OIL—In lots of from 1 to 5 barrels at 76c per gallon for raw and 77c for boiled.

BEESWAX—30c per pound for prime.

CASTOR OIL—In lots of 200 gallons or over at 10c per pound for No. 1 and 9½c for No. 3 in barrels—but smaller quantities 1c per pound more.

COOPERAGE — Lard tierces—wood-bound at $1.60 for red and $1.75 for white oak; iron-bound 6-hoop at $1.30 for r. o. and $1.40 for w. o.; oleo tierces, 8-hoop at $1.25 for r. o. and $1.45 for w. o.; pork barrels, $1.35 for wood-bound and $1.25@1.27½ for 6-hoop iron-bound; slack-work barrels—6-hoop patent flour, 44c; 6-hoop patent flour half-barrels, 35c; 6-hoop sugar, 47c; 6-hoop do, 44c; mill-run apple, 35c; No. 2 do, 26c.

SECOND-HAND BARRELS—Coal oil, gasoline, turpentine, naphtha, wine, spirits, alcohol light oil, linseed varnish, whisky and wood alcohol all 90c; lard (wood-bound), 40c; iron-bound, 60c; whisky half barrels, 65c; vinegar, 75c; black oil, 40c; paint or tar, 40c; oil half barrels, 60c; syrup, 30c; syrup half barrels, 35c; kraut and pickle, 50c; 15c off for broken heads or staves.

MOSS—Per lb: Gray mixed, 1¾@1⅞c; gray, brown and black mixed, 1½@2c; brown and black mixed, 2@2¼c. Machine-picked—x 3¼@3c, xx 3½@4c, xxx 4½@5c, xxxx 5¼@6c, extra black 6½@7¼c. Inferior less.

COTTON MARKET UNSETTLED AND LOWER UNDER GENERAL SELLING

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 6@13 points in response to better cables than expected, but quickly weakened under local bear pressure and Wall street selling, which was attributed to the unsettled stock market. March contracts sold off to $14.04 and May to $14.15, or 8 to 9 points under the closing figures of last night, within the first few minutes, but at this level there was a good demand from Liverpool and trade interests, on which the market recovered about 10 points of its loss during the middle of the morning.

The market was weak and settled later in the forenoon, with March declining to $13.90 and May to $14.01, or 22@23 points net lower under Wall street selling and scattered liquidation, which found very little bull support around the ring. Stop-loss orders were uncovered on the decline and while there was a rally of 5 or 6 points from the lowest just before midday, the tone of the market was nervous.

Liverpool close: Spot, moderate business done; prices 4 points lower: American middling fair, 8.10d; good middling, 7.84d; middling, 7.70d; low middling, 7.60d; good ordinary, 7.34d; ordinary, 7.09d; the sales of the day were 7000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 6300 American. Receipts, 28,000 bales, including 19,100 American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed easy: Jan., 7.44d; Jan.-Feb., 7.44d; Feb.-March, 7.45d; March-April, 7.46½d; April-May, 7.48d; May-June, 7.50d; June-July, 7.50d; July-Aug., 7.49d; Aug.-Sept., 7.23d; Sept.-Oct., 6.80d; Oct.-Nov., 6.60½d; Nov.-Dec., 6.52d; Dec.-Jan., 6.50½d; Jan.-Feb., 6.50½d.

Chicago Stock Market.

(Francis Bro. & Co., 214 N. 4th st.)

	Bid.	Asked.
National Biscuit com	111½	112½
do preferred	121	124
Fish com	34	36
do preferred	69	72
Illinois Brick	77	79
American Can com	11	11¼
do preferred	76	77
Chicago Railways 5s	101	101½
do No. 1	103	110
do No. 2	29	30
do No. 3	10	15
City Railway	170	190
do 5s	103	103¼
People's Gas	109¼	110
Metropolitan com	15½	17
do pfd	54	55
do 4s	83	83½
Quaker Oats com	160	165
do preferred	105	106
Swift	102¼	103
South Side Elevated	54	55
Streets com	36	36½
do preferred	101	104
Chicago Telephone	129	130
Western Stone	20	21
K. C. Light com	29	30½
do preferred	69	72
Sears Roebuck com	152	153
do preferred	120½	121
Northwest Elevated com	16	19
do pfd.	65	70
do 4s	95½	96
Diamond Match	105	106
Subway	4½	5

NEW YORK BOND SALES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.

5,000—Amn. Tobacco 6s at 116¼
1,000—Colo. Ind. 5s at 81½
10,000—U. S. Steel 5s at 104⅝
1,000—Interboro 4½s at 80⅛
15,000—So. Pac. cv. 4s at 102
1,000—N. Y. Tel. rct. 4½s at 98⅝
10,000—N. & W. 4s at 98¾
35,000—Un. Pac. cv. 4s at 110
1,000—N. & W. cv. 4s at 100½
2,000—Oregon Short L. 5s at 113⅛
1,000—Penn. cv. 3½s, 1915 at 96
1,000—Cen. Leather 5s at 99¼
7,000—Del. & Hudson cv. 4s at 100
5,000—N. & W. cv. 3½s at 100⅝
5,000—Mexican Central 4s at 97¼
1,000—R. I. 4s at 79¾
10,000—Colo. Ind. 5s at 81½
10,000—Atchison 4s at 100⅛
5,000—Wabash 4s at 72⅜
10,000—Southern Pacific cv. 4s at 102
5,000—Southern Pacific 4s at 93
10,000—American T.-T. cv. 4s at 101½
20,000—Frisco rfg. 4s at 83¾
15,000—American Tob. 4s at 76½
1,000—Union Pacific cv. 4s at 110
15,000—Atchison cv. 4s at 115¾
1,000—Quincy (Ill.) rfg. 4s at 99¼
15,000—Atchison 4s at 100

New York Stocks Close.

Reporter daily for the Post-Dispatch by D. R. Francis & Bro. Com. Co., 214 N. Fourth street:

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.

STOCKS.	Open.	Close.
Aamlgamated Copper	81⅛	77¾
American Smelter com	92	89⅜
American Sugar	120	119¼
Anaconda Copper	49¾	49⅛
Atchison com.	116¾	115½
B. R. T.	72½	71½
B. & O.	115¾	115⅛
Canadian Pacific	179	178½
C., M. & St. P. com.	146½	145¾
Chicago-Northwestern	1566	156
Colo. Fuel and Iron	42⅝	39⅞
Consolidated Gas	145	141¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	83½	82
Delaware & Hudson	174⅞	174
Erie com.	29⅞	28
Great Northern pfd.	132¾	132⅛
Great Northern Ore	73¼	70¾
Illinois Central	142½	142
Interboro Met. common	21	20¼
do pfd.	55	55
K. C. Southern com.	38½	37
Louisville & Nashville	145¼	143½
Laclede Gas	105½	103½
M. K. & T. com.	43	41¾
Missouri Pacific	70	67¾
North American	77⅜	76¼
Nat. Lead com.	84½	81½
Northern Pacific	134¼	133⅞
New York Central	117½	116½
Norfolk & Western	96⅜	95
Pennsylvania	131¾	131⅜
People's Gas	111⅞	109
P. S. Car com.	44½	42¾
Rep. I. & S. com.	38	36¾
Reading com.	159¼	154⅜
Rock Island com.	42	40⅜
do pfd.	84	82⅛
Southern Pacific	128	126⅝
Texas Pacific	32	30⅛
Union Pacific com	189	185⅛
U. S. Steel com	83¼	82¼
do preferred	122⅜	121½
Wabash com	21¼	20⅜
do preferred	49	47⅛
Westinghouse	72½	71⅛
Western Union	71½	70

Sales to 2 p. m., 1,310,200 shares.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Although retail trade is only moderately active, orders for spring delivery are increasing right along and are quite fair, particularly in dry goods, millinery, clothing and footwear, while reorders are coming in to some extent. All jobbing lines show some life, and agricultural implement dealers are already filling orders for plows and harrows. Collections are fair to good. With few exceptions, all the manufacturing concerns are busy and new orders are coming in satisfactorily.

The official statistics of the European visible supply of copper metal on Jan. 15 give the amount at 100,540 tons, as against 100,020 on Jan. 1, and of 55,000 tons on Jan. 15, one year ago. Here is almost 100 per cent increase in the visible in one year and yet the insiders who have securities to sell as well as copper would have the consuming and manufacturing community believe that 14c and 15c copper was near at hand and the copper shares were bargains at present prices. The figures here given are sufficient for comparison.

St. Louis commission houses are transacting a fair volume of business, but the general public remains away from the stock market, betokening according to a prominent local broker, a decided lack of confidence. The long interest in various issues ordinarily locally popular, has been considerably cut down in recent days.

Domestic Exchange.

Whitaker & Co. quote exchange today, after clearings:

	Bid.	Asked.
New York	5c premium	15c premium
Chicago	5c premium	15c premium
Cincinnati	Par	10c premium
Louisville	Par	10c discount
New Orleans	25c discount	15c discount

LIVESTOCK.

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Jan. 25.—Comparative receipts:

	Today.	Week ago.	Year ago.
Cattle	5,000	3,800	3,000
Hogs	10,000	10,700	10,900
Sheep	4,500	2,700	2,400
Horses and mules	600	600	950

NATIVE CATTLE—The receipts of native cattle were about 3300, arrivals being delayed. There was a fair proportion of steers of fair to good quality. There was the usual butcher stuff. Market slow and 10 cents lower. Bulls, calves and stock cattle fully steady.

BEEF AND BUTCHER STEERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
34	1438	$6 55*	59Colo	1329	$5 75*
22	979	5 50*	20	1158	5 45
19	1137	5 45*	35	1086	5 45
1	1120	5 25			

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
66Kas.	779	5 25*	21	861	4 90
33s&h.	778	4 40	2	740	4 40
4	607	3 75	1	600	3 25

*Late yesterday.

COWS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
1	1080	3 85	1	870	3 35
2	855	3 10	1	710	3 00

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
1	1210	4 35	1	1110	3 35

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
1	110	9 00	1	110	8 75
1	130	8 75	2	85	7 00

SOUTHERN CATTLE—The receipts of Southern cattle were about 1700. Market fairly active and weak to 10c lower. Yearlings steady. A train of Texas grass steers brought $4.80. Bulk of the rest of the offerings were canners and cutters.

TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA CATTLE.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
42	1014	5 35*			

ARKANSAS CATTLE.

COWS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
60	611	3 15			

MIXED.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
28	561	3 05	73	663	2 90

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
14	218	4 25	10	298	3 25

MISSISSIPPI CATTLE.

COWS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
1	570	3 10	1	810	3 00

MIXED.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
11	613	3 00	16	588	2 90

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
8	983	3 70	1	1000	3 00

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
1	140	8 00	1	80	6 00
8	206	4 25	3	266	4 25
11	321	3 25	6	320	3 25

OXEN.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
4	1077	3 40			

HOGS—A good supply arrived, but far from what would be called a liberal supply for this season of the year. The market opened draggy, with prices showing a decline of 10@15c from the Monday trade and on the lowest basis it has been for several weeks. The top price was $8.45 and the bulk of the hogs sold from $8.20@8.35. Pigs and lights were slow sale and lower. Packers were slow bidders and the butchers and shippers were not as active as usual. While there has not been any heavy break, the market has been on the decline for the past ten days and shows a loss from 50@75c.

MIXED PACKERS AND HEAVY.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
70	238	$8 45	76	242	$8 40
11	233	8 35	70	222	8 30
67	224	8 30	30	226	8 25
74	244	8 20			

BUTCHERS AND SHIPPERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
75	209	8 35	17	205	8 35
73	186	8 32½	88	190	8 30
86	278	8 30	99	178	8 30
81	188	8 30	27	180	8 25
69	210	8 25	30	180	8 25
88	178	8 25	85	185	8 25
86	171	8 25	116	160	8 22½
87	175	8 20	79	180	8 20
76	184	8 10	59	181	8 10
81	184	8 00	86	179	8 00
81	183	7 75	83	179	7 85
33	162	7 50	45	168	7 55

LIGHT-WEIGHT SHIPPERS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
78	151	8 15	24	155	8 10
68	111	7 90	12	130	7 90
26	113	7 90	40	131	7 90
11	112	7 85	27	128	7 85
27	131	7 75	18	122	7 75
23	119	7 50	39	121	7 50
11	118	7 25	18	123	7 25
33	116	7 00	18	123	7 00
16	114	6 75	18	120	6 90
12	120	6 00	12	111	6 30
5	111	5 00	8	122	5 50
					4 00

PIGS AND THROW-OUTS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
19	109	7 85	15	106	7 85
56	88	7 25	36	90	7 25
76	100	7 00	21	90	7 00
32	85	6 65	33	90	6 50
33	96	6 50	5	72	5 75
16	100	5 50	5	100	5 50

SHEEP—The market was dull and 10@15c lower, making a loss from the close of last week of 25c on all kinds. Sheep were scarce as the offerings were principally Western lambs and yearlings. The best lambs brought $8.50, while others sold from $8.15@8.40. Yearlings sold at $7.50 and Western ewes that were not very heavy brought $5.65.

LAMBS.

WESTERN LAMBS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
300Colo	67	$8 35	135	68	$8 25
100	74	8 15	915Mex.	56	7 50

WESTERN YEARLINGS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
111	87	7 50			

WESTERN SHEEP.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
371ewes	80	5 65	366ewes	80	5 65

HORSES AND MULES—The horse market was strong and active throughout the day. There were a large number of buyers here, both from the South and the East, and all good, heavy drafters and toppy Southerners sold at good prices. Fresh receipts for the day were lighter than yesterday, approximating 150 head. The mule trade continues good out of first hands and dealers are also enjoying a lively trade from the South. Good cotton and sugar mules continue to sell high. Fresh receipts for the day approximated 450 head.

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 25.—Following were the closing prices of stocks on the Exchange Monday:

DESCRIPTION.	Bid.	Asked.
American Cement	26	27
American Railways	47½	48
Bell Telephone of Penn.	120	122
Cambria Steel	50¼	50⅜
Con. Trac. of New Jersey	76	77
Electric Co. of America	12	12¼
Electric Storage Battery	59½	60
Fairmount Park Traction	8	10
General Asphalt	30¼	30⅜
do pfd.	80	80⅜
Huntingdon B. T.	8	12
do pfd.	23	28
Indiana Street Railway	110	115
Int. Sm. P. and C.	14	16
Lake Superior Corporation	26¼	26½
do inc.	47½	48½
Lehigh C. & N.	118	119
L. C. & N. trust certificate	118¼	119
Lehigh Valley	101½	102
Pennsylvania Steel	70	75
do pfd.	114	116
Philadelphia Co.	50¼	50⅜
do pfd.	45	45½
Phil. Elec. $17.50 paid	13¾	14
Phila. Rapid Transit	26	26¼
Tonopah	6⅝	6¾
London Traction $17.80 paid	51⅜	51½
Union Traction of Indiana	20	25
United Cos. of New Jersey	248	250
United Gas Improvement	93	93⅛
Warwick Iron & Steel	11	11¼
West Jersey & Sea	54	55
Indiana St. Railways g. 4s	83	85
Electric & People's 4s	91	92
Int. Railways 4s	55	56
Phila. Co. con. 5s	98	98⅜
Phila. Electric 5s	101¼	101⅜
do 4s	75½	76
Welsbach Co. 5s	86½	88
Newark Passenger 5s	108	110

New York Curb Opening.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amer. Tob. com.	408	412
Chicago Subway	4⅛	4⅜
Havana Tobacco	5	7
Standard Oil	645	650
Tidewater 6s	101¼	102
Con. S. S. 4s	20	24
Boston Consolidated	18¾	19
Buffalo Mines	2	3
Butte Coalition	26¼	27
Dolores Limited	7	7¼
Ely Central	1⅜	1 13-16
Goldfield Consolidated	7 11-16	7 13-16
Greene Cananea	9⅞	10⅛
Giroux	10¼	10⅜
Inspiration	9⅞	9 3-16
Mason Valley	2 5-16	2⅜
Miami	24⅜	24¼
Mines of America	48	50
Nevada Consolidated	23⅜	23⅝
Nevada Utah	1 7-16	1 9-16
Nipissing	10	10¼
Ohio Copper	4⅜	4⅝
Rawhide Coalition	15	16
Ray Cons.	23¼	23⅜
Yukon	4⅜	4⅝
Chino	12⅞	13
Gila	8⅜	9

Many of the above quotations are necessarily nominal.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Demand sterling, 4.8625@4.8630. Paris check on London, 25f. 18½c. Berlin check on London, 20m. 47pfg. Market discounts Paris, 2¾. Market discounts Berlin, 3⅝. Three-months bills London, 3⅜. British consols, 82⅝. French rentes, 99.15. Japanese 4s, 91¾. Russian 4s, 93⅝. German Imp. 3s, 84¾.

The country's production of gold last year is estimated at $99,232,000, as against $94,560,000 the year before. The production of silver is figured at 58,840,000 fine ounces, an increase over the previous year of 1,690,000 ounces.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

Quotations given are prices at wholesale and those for butter, eggs, poultry, cheese and calves are furnished by the St. Louis Butter, Egg and Poultry Exchange.

Eggs down 2c per dozen, the best declining to 33c. Butter lower all round, the first three grades off 3c per pound and country store-packed butter ½c. Poultry unchanged, except ducks, which are ½c higher. No change in rabbits, calves or cheese.

BUTTER—Creamery extra, 31c; firsts at 28c; seconds, 26c. Country store packed at 22½c.

EGGS—Extras, cases included, 33c; strictly fresh firsts, cases included, 33c; current receipts, cases included, 29c.

CHEESE—On orders, per pound: Northern —Twins, 17c; single, 17¼c; longhorns, 17¼c; daisies, 17¼c; Y. A., 17c; prints, 17½c; limburger, 17@17½c. Swiss—No. 1, 20c; 2, 18c; inferior, broken or crushed, 13c to 15c; brick, 17@17½c.

LIVE POULTRY — Turkeys — Hens and toms, 19½c. Chickens—Fowls, hens, 13c; roosters, 8½c; stags, 12c; ducks, 15c; geese, 8@10c; spring chickens, 15c; broilers, 17c; guineas, $2 to $4.50. Capons, 20c; slips, 16c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Hens, 13½c; springs, 15½c; broilers, 18c; stags, 12½c; roosters, 9c; turkeys, 20½c; geese, 9@11c; ducks, 15½c; capons, 22c; slips, 17c.

PIGEONS AND SQUABS—Live pigeons at 75@80c per dozen. Squabs—Fancy homers, $3 per dozen for 9 pounds, $3.25 for 10 pounds and $1.50 for small; common, 75c to $1.25 per dozen; capons, 20c; slips, 16c.

GAME—Rabbits at $1 to $1.40 per dozen; jack rabbits, $2 per dozen. Opossums at 10c to 25c each.

FROG LEGS—Large at $2.25, medium at $1.75, small $1 per dozen; grass frogs, 8c per dozen.

ROASTING PIGS—At $1.50 to $2.25 per head, 20 to 30 pounds weight.

VEALS—Choice milk-fed (110@140 pounds) at 7½c per pound; choice heavy old (150 to 180 pounds), 6¾c; heretics, thin and small stock at 3c to 4c per pound. Sheep dull at 3c per pound; bucks and old ewes at 2c. Spring lambs at 5c to 6c per pound; small and thin not wanted.

FRESH FISH—Black bass, 10c per pound for large and 15c for order size; crappie, 6c for medium and 10c for large; dressed cat with collar bones off, 11c; collar bones on, 10c; gross do, 5c; spoonbill cat, 8c for large and 6c for small; dressed bullheads with collar bones off, 9c; collar bones on, 8c; buffalo—large gross, 3c; medium gross, 2½c; large dressed, 5c; medium dressed, 4c; German carp—large dressed, 4½c; small dressed, 3½c; large gross, 3c; small gross, 2c; sunfish, 3c; white perch, 3c; grass pike 4½c; dressed sturgeon (hide off), 7c; striped bass, 10c for large; eels, 7c; turtles—turtle meat, 8c; soft shell dressed, 5c; snapping turtles, 4c.

Fruits.

Receipts by rail—Oranges, 4 cars; lemons, 2.

APPLES—Greenings sold on call at $3.40 per barrel, 75 barrels being taken at that price by five different buyers in 15-barrel lots. Baldwins were offered at $3.85 per barrel, bid $3.50; russets at $3.30, bid $3; ben davis at $3.15, bid $2.90, and Virginia yorks at $4, bid $3.35. The apples offered were all graded fancy and were to be delivered.

GRAPE FRUIT—Florida at $2.25 to $3.50 per box (36's to 126's).

MALAGA GRAPES—At $5 to $6.50 per barrel.

STRAWBERRIES—Florida at 30c to 50c per quart.

CRANBERRIES—Howes at $5.75 to $6 per barrel. Jerseys at $4.50 to $5 per barrel and $1.25 to $1.50 per bu box.

COCOANUTS—At $40 per 1000 and $4.25 per 100.

BANANAS—On orders at 2½c per pound.

LEMONS—California at $4.25 to $4.50 per box. Messina at $4.25 to $4.50 per box.

ORANGES—Florida brights and golden russets at $1.50@2.25; California navels at $2@2.75 per box. Louisiana at $2.25.

Vegetables.

Receipts by rail—Potatoes, 12 cars; onions, 2; cabbage, 1; cauliflower, 1.

POTATOES—Wisconsin Burbanks sold on call at 50c per bu on track and Wisconsin rurals offered at 56c, bid 50c; Red River Ohios and Colorado rurals at 75c, bid 65c, straw rurals at 80c, bid 70c, Colorado pearls at 70c and Michigan rurals at 60c, bid 53c per bu. These were all graded fancy and were to be delivered. Extra fancy Michigan rurals were offered at 60c, bid 56c, delivered. Car of Wisconsin rurals offered at 55c per bu and a car of Minnesota Burbanks at 56c, bid 53c per bu.

ONIONS—Red globes sold on call at 35c per bu, sacked and delivered. White onions were offered at 90c per bu crate and yellow in bulk at same price.

CABBAGE—Fancy Danish sold on call at $30 per ton, $4.50 less than on Monday.

RUTABAGAS—Sold on call at 35c per bu.

CARROTS—Eastern at $14 to $15 per ton and at $1 to $1.20 per bbl. New Orleans at 15c per dozen bunches and home-grown at 50c per bu loose.

SHALLOTS—New Orleans at 10@20c per dozen bunches and at $1.75 to $2 per barrel.

TURNIPS—New Orleans at 15@20c per dozen bunches and $2 per barrel. Home-grown washed at 50c per bu loose, unwashed at 35c.

SAUERKRAUT—New city make jobbing at $1.85 for half-barrel, $3.35 for barrels and $5.25 for casks—orders higher. Kegs, 75c.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—Florida at 10@12½c per quart.

SPINACH—New Orleans bunches at 15@35c per dozen and $4 per sugar barrel. Eastern spinach at $1.50@2 per barrel and kale at 50c to $1 per barrel.

CELERY—California golden heart at $3.75 to $4.25 per crate delivered. Kalamazoo (small) at 10@15c per bunch. Celery roots at 25@50c per dozen.

CAULIFLOWER—California at $1.50 to $1.90 per crate. Florida at $1.25 to $1.50 per hamper.

PEPPERS—Florida 6-basket crates or hampers at $2 to $2.50 and 1 1-3 bu crates at $3.

SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown Bermuda at 25c, yellow and red nansemond and queen at 25@35c per bu loose; Southern Illinois queen dull at $1 per barrel and sugar barrel at $1.75.

MUSTARD GREENS—New Orleans at 15@25c per dozen bunches.

KOHLRABI—New Orleans at 20@25c per dozen bunches, and at $2.50@3 per barrel.

STRING BEANS—Florida hampers round green at $1.50 to $2. Mexican, $2.50@2.75 per 2-3 bu box.

TOMATOES—Cuban in jobbing way at $1.50@1.75 per 6-basket crate; Florida at $2 to $2.50 per 6-basket crate for choice to fancy—spotted and poor at $1@1.25.

RHUBARB—Eastern hothouse at 75c per dozen bunches.

CUCUMBERS—Eastern hothouse at $1@1.25 per dozen.

EGGPLANT—Choice Florida at $3.25@3.50 per 1½bu crate.

RADISHES—New Orleans white-tipped at 15@35c per dozen bunches. Chicago hothouse at 25@35c per dozen bunches.

HORSERADISH—Home-grown at $3.50 per barrel loose—on orders at $4 per barrel.

PARSNIPS—Home-grown washed at 50@60c per bu loose.

PARSLEY—New Orleans curly at 20c per dozen bunches.

SPANISH ONIONS—Worth $1.15@1.25 per crate.

LETTUCE—Florida at $2.25@2.50 per hamper refrigerated and at $1@1.50 for express receipts. New Orleans good to choice at $2@2.50 per sugar barrel and 25@40c per small hamper. Chicago leaf lettuce at 20@30c per box.

ENDIVE AND ESCAROL—Choice New Orleans at $1.75@2.25 per sugar barrel.

ANISE PLANT—New Orleans at $2.50 per sugar barrel.

BEETS—Home-grown old at 25@35c per bu loose. New Orleans bunches at 20c per dozen and at $2 per barrel.

PARTIAL RECOVERY SCORED IN WHEAT

Lack of outside speculation and a bearish turn of mind among the professional operators had a depressing effect on the local wheat market Tuesday. More attention was paid to foreign factors than was the case recently and the lower trend of values abroad encouraged the selling movement. Prices declined sharply early in the day, but the downward movement was checked by scattered short covering. During most of the session prices ruled relatively steady at rallies from the low point, but still at fractional net losses for the day.

Future prices at Liverpool declined 1d. This was attributed, in addition to the previous recession in America, to the poor demand conditions in European spot markets, weakness in Winnipeg and a sharp reduction of Argentine prices. Broomhall's foreign crop summary was bearish. Most other foreign markets also were in a weak position. There was a moderate decrease in the visible supply of wheat in Europe.

The weather throughout practically all of the wheat country is clear, with moderate temperatures prevailing. This is favorable not only for the winter wheat crop, most reports on which tell of excellent conditions, but also for the movement of wheat. Receipts at the terminals of all regions were again very heavy. Offerings from the interior were liberal and with traffic facilities ample, the trade is beginning to reverse its recent predictions of a reduced movement. Stocks in most positions showed a tendency moderately to increase.

These factors were responsible for long liquidation and general selling of good volume at the opening. Little demand existed at the start and prices declined steadily. The recent declines, however, have introduced a more healthy tone in the cash market. The demand was improved and premiums made good recoveries. This prompted the shorts to cover in the pit and toward noon values ruled firm at partial reactions from the early declines.

May wheat opened ⅝c lower at $1.10, declined to $1.09⅝ and rallied to $1.10⅝. July wheat opened ⅝@¾c lower at 99½c, declined to 98⅞c and was bid up to 99⅝c.

FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

	Closing Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	110⅝	111⅛	109⅞	111⅛-¼
July	99¼@⅝a	100⅛	98⅞	100⅛
Sept.	95⅝b	95⅝b	95	95⅝
CORN.				
May	67⅞a	67⅞	66⅝	67⅛@⅜
July	67 a	67⅛a	66⅛a	[illegible]
OATS.				
May	47⅛@½a	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	43 n	47 b	46⅞a	[illegible]

NEW YORK.

	Closing Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	117⅞b	118⅝	116⅞@⅞	118⅜
July	109⅜	108⅞	107⅞	108⅝
CORN.				
May	76¼@76			
July		76	76⅝	75⅞

MINNEAPOLIS.

	Closing Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	111⅞@⅛	112⅝	110⅝	112⅛
July	110⅝-⅞b	111⅝	109⅞	111⅛

CHICAGO GRAIN.

	Closing Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	109⅝b	110⅝	108⅝	110½-⅝
July	100⅝	101⅜	99⅝	101
Sept.	96½	97	95⅞	96⅞
CORN.				
May	67 b	67⅞	66⅞	67⅞@⅛
July	66⅞	67⅜	67⅞	67⅜
Sept.	66⅞	67⅛	65⅞	67⅛
OATS.				
May	47⅛	47⅛	46⅜	46⅞
July	43⅞@⅞	43⅞	43⅛	43⅞
Sept.	41 @⅛	41⅛	40⅞	41⅛

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Closing Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
PORK.				
Jan.	$20.00	$20.07	$11.97	$20.05a
May	20.50	20.60	20.25	20.52
July	20.55a	20.60@62	20.25	20.52b
LARD.				
Jan.	11.85	11.75	11.30	11.70b
May	11.57b	11.57	11.30	11.50
July	11.50a	11.50	11.25	11.42@45
RIBS.				
Jan.	11.50a	11.37	11.32	11.35a
May	11.17	11.25	11.00	11.17@20
July	11.15	11.22	11.00	11.17

KANSAS CITY.

	Closing Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	105¼-⅜a	105⅞@06	104⅜	105⅞
July	94⅛@95a	95⅛	94 @⅛a	95⅛@⅛
CORN.				
May	65⅞b	66⅞	65⅞	66⅛@⅜
July	65⅜@⅜	65⅞	64⅞	65⅞

TOLEDO.

	Closing Yest'day.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
Cash	123½	127	125	127
May	126½	127	124⅜	127
July	104½	105½	104	105⅜

ST. LOUIS CASH MARKET.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red.	129	129 @130	112
No. 3 red.	122 @128	120 @128	107 @110
No. 4	105 @122	105 @122	95 @107
2 hard	110¼@116	112 @116	108 @107
3 hard	109 @110	109 @111	101 @103
4 hard	100 @107	100@107½	95 @99
CORN.			
No. 2	64 n	65 n	59 @59½
No. 3	63½	64½	58½@58½
2 yellow	65 n	66	59 @60
3 yellow	63¼@64½	65½@65½	58½@58½
2 white	68 n	69 n	62 @62½
3 white	67 @67½	68 @68½	61 @61½
OATS.			
No. 2	48 @48½	48½	50½
No. 3	47½n	47½@48 n	49½
2 white	49½	50	52½
3 white	48¼@48⅜	48¼@49¼	50¼@52
4 white	47½@48	47 @48	49 @50

NEW YORK COTTON CLOSE

	Open.	Close.
January	.....	14.21@23
February	.....	14.19@21
March	14.25	14.19@20
April	.....	14.19@21
May	14.25	14.23@24
June	14.20	14.20@22
July	14.18	14.20@21
August	14.00	13.99@14
September	13.05	13.07@10
October	12.64	12.70@73
November	.....	12.59@62
December	12.55	12.56@58

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Bargains to the Right, Bargains to the Left, While Straight Into the Second, Third and Fourth Floors Poured the Crowd of Eager Buyers

Within everything was activity, there were men and women in all walks of life buying. Some coming in carriages, some in Autos and others got there some way, but every one seemed intent on the same object and that was to take advantage of the opportunity of getting double the amount for their money.

I've seen sales of every kind, but I will admit I've never seen where the offerings were more genuine than those of the Thiebes-Stierlin Music Co. Nearly everything in the big store is reduced on account of the reorganization of the firm to lessen the immense stock of fine Pianos, Player-Pianos, Talking Machines, Music Boxes, etc., to the lowest possible amount, before the Thiebes Piano Co. take charge.

The greatest price concessions, however, being on the stock of pianos—a third, half and then some on several of the instruments; and we have never heard sweeter-toned pianos and they look like they are built to last a lifetime. Any way the firm warrants them and their guarantee is perfectly good.

In looking through the stock we noticed some very attractive full rich toned pianos marked down to $167. Others at $197—former selling prices were $250 and $275—and customers were certainly buying them as fast as the salesmen could get to them and I could hardly believe it—on terms of a dollar down on the piano and afterwards a dollar a week until the piano is paid for. In addition to the first dollar paid on the piano, four dollars is paid for the stool and scarf, making the first money out, only five dollars, when the piano is sent home.

Monday the firm received a large shipment of these pianos that had been delayed a couple of weeks en route, so when they were placed on the floors for sale customers were waiting for them and buying too—the liveliest piano buying I've ever seen.

In looking through the stock we noticed some very attractive pianos, but the tone caught our attention first. Noticing the price tags we found they were sold regularly at $375, $400 and $450, but are being closed out at $248, $297, $307 and $367; remarkable pianos at very small cost and small payments.

A beautiful $350 piano was only $218. I believe they were all sold while I was in the store but the salesman told me another lot—a delayed shipment—was coming in today.

Elegant fine new and slightly used pianos caught my eye all over the store and when the price tags were examined I could readily see why this big reorganization sale was drawing such crowds and selling so many pianos, as no man can resist these bargains who has any earthly use for a Piano, and then the terms—only a dollar a week, removes the last excuse—the paying—only about 15 cents a day.

And Player-Pianos—some only a little over $300, worth $500 and on very small payments, others reduced greatly and "pay a little at a time."

If anyone needs a Piano or a Player-Piano they should attend this wonderful sale—wonderful in price reductions, on dependable instruments and wonderful as to their payment plan.

We want you to come today or tomorrow—as soon as possible for best choice and we will venture the assertion that you will agree with our callers, that here will be found genuine Pianos and Player-Piano bargains, that they are here for you at prices and on terms never before offered and probably never will be duplicated after this sale closes and it will not last long. Remember the place, 1006 Olive street. At the big Blue Victor sign. Thiebes-Stierlin Music Co., to be succeeded by Thiebes Piano Co.—the Piano and Music House of St. Louis.

CARRIES TAINTED STEAK TO POLICE UNDER A NAPKIN

Restaurant Customer Stirs Headquarters With Odoriferous "Small Smothered."

HEALTH BOARD TO ACT

Expert Diagnosis Shows Meat Was Anaemic and Very Decrepit.

William W. Daris, a locomotive engineer of Birmingham, Ala., walked to the desk in Central District Police Station Monday evening and, drawing a package wrapped in a paper napkin from his pocket, set it down gently.

"Will you kindly inspect that beefsteak and tell me what you think of it?" he said to Sergt. Mike Drissell.

Drissell placed his thumb and index finger to his nose and backed away.

"That's not a steak," he gasped. "That's limburger cheese.

"Just the same, I bought it for a steak," said Daris, "and, furthermore, I paid a Beef Trust price for it as a steak."

"What do you want me to do about it?" asked Drissell remaining at a comfortable distance.

"I want you to arrest the man who sold it to me," said Daris. "I just got in from Birmingham this afternoon and went to a restaurant across from the Union Station. I was hungry and although I am not in favor of being robbed by the beef magnates, the steak smothered in onions on the bill of fare appealed to my appetite. I ordered some.

Onions Smothered by Steak.

"The waiter reminded me of the fact that meat had gone up, but I told him I didn't care so long as I had to have something good to eat.

"Well, he brought the steak and I sailed into it. That is, I sailed into the fumes which arose from that plate. I was intoxicated by the odor. It was something awful. The onions were there, all right, but they were asleep on the job. It was them that was smothered and not the steak.

"I called the proprietor and protested. I asked him if he was running a first-class restaurant and he assured me he was. I asked him if he was in sympathy with the beef barons and he declared he was not. I then asked him how he could have the nerve to serve such a steak to a human being. He looked at me in apparent surprise and wanted to know what ailed me. I asked him if he could smell the steak and he said he could. I then asked him if he expected me to eat it. He said he didn't care whether I ate it or not, so long as I paid for it.

Sent to Health Office.

"When argument failed I produced the price in preference to being arrested. But I wrapped up the steak in this napkin and decided to lay the matter before the police."

"That certainly is a rotten piece of meat," said Drissell, "but what can I do?" Just then Capt. Young stepped into the office.

"Call the dead animal wagon and send that thing to the Board of Health," said the Captain, without inquiring what the discussion was about. Special Officer Archey was detailed to carry the steak to the sanitary division of the Health Department in the old City Hall.

"They said it was unfit for consumption and they are going to send an inspector to that restaurant," reported Archey when he returned without the steak.

AGED WOMAN RISKS LIFE FOR HORSES IN BURNING STABLE

Dragged Out When Flames Hem Her, but Three Animals Perish.

Mrs. Annie Doepke, 69 years old, risked her life early Tuesday in an attempt to rescue three horses from a burning stable in the rear of her residence, 1613 Carr street.

She might herself have shared the horses' fate, but for her two daughters. They entered the stable to find their mother tugging in the smoke at a strap which bound one of the animals to a stall. The horse kicked and fought, putting the life of the old woman in double danger.

Even when the flames had spread to every side of her, Mrs. Doepke would not give up her efforts, and her daughters dragged her out.

Several men held her a safe distance outside, while others tried to free the horses. They got one out, but it had been so badly burned the police shot it. The other two perished.

The animals, valued at $500, were the property of William Sension, 2101 Madison street, who leased the stable.

COMET LIGHTS SHIP'S COURSE ON VOYAGE OFF CALIFORNIA

Captain Declares Heavenly Body With Tail Illuminated the Seas for an Hour.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—A comet furnished light for part of the voyage of the steamer J. B. Stetson from San Pedro here, according to the statement of Capt. Bonfield on his arrival yesterday. He declares that for an hour it was of illuminating brilliancy and possessed of a noble tail.

Capt. Benfield says that at the comet's appearance the Stetson was in latitude 35.20 north and the comet southwest by west one-half west, magnetic bearing, from the deck.

Three California towns—Santa Rosa, Redding and Napa—have reported seeing a brilliant comet, supposed to be A. D. 1910, not Halley's, between 5 and 7 last evening.

ONE BULLET WOUNDS TWICE

Policeman Shoots Fleeing Negro Through Both Legs.

One bullet fired by Policeman Caldwell of the Manchester Avenue District from his new regulation revolver Monday night twice wounded Gus (Spindlelegs) Young, a negro. A quarrel between Young and his wife had attracted a crowd to Leonard avenue and Olive street and when Caldwell appeared, Young fled east on Olive street. Caldwell, after firing into the air, sent one bullet directly at the object of his chase. Young dropped. At the City Hospital it was found that the bullet had penetrated both his right and left legs.

One pound of our fine modern Linen stationery, stamped with monogram, 50c. Jaccard's, on Broadway.

CIVIC DINNERS TO BE RESUMED

The Civil League's Saturday noon luncheons, the last of which was before the holidays, will be begun again Jan. 29 at the Planters Hotel. The luncheons will be served at 12:30, followed by addresses by prominent speakers.

Charles E. Merriam, professor of political science in the University of Chicago, member of the Chicago City Council and chairman of the Finance Commission, will speak on "City Finances."

75c Inverted Lights complete with good burner and mantle; a big gas saver; Wednesday, while 200 last, 29c
42 fancy fringed Inverted Light, complete $70
$3.00 2-light Gas Chandelier 98c
$1.50 2-light Gas Chandelier 69c
50c German China Cuspidors 25c
75c Slop Jars with ball 25c
10c Knives and Forks, each 2½c
5c Table Spoons, heavily coated 2c



35c Coal Hods, good size, galvanized iron, for 19c
50c Bread Box, good size, nicely Japanned 25c
50c Graniteware Dish Pans, ... 10c
Coffee Pots ..... $1.50 Flour Bins: 100-pound size 59c

Lowest Prices Our Chief Attraction

Schaper Bros.

Broadway and Franklin

Store opens daily 8:30; closes 5:30 p. m., except Saturday, open till 7 p. m.

Free Coupon
Bring coupon and 25c and you will get 10 5c packages Gold Dust. Sale on 4th floor all day.

$3 All-Copper Wash Boilers, No. 8 size, on special sale $1.69
$4.00 Iron Frame Wringers, guaranteed; special 98c
75c Wash Tubs, extra large size, galvanized, on sale at 47c

$8.00 Mattresses



80 high-grade pure Layer Mattresses; 1 in 1 layer open layer to prevent matting or lumping, sold with our 60 nights' trial guarantee, any size, Wednesday $3.98

Linoleums
15,000 yards genuine imported Scotch Linoleums, extra heavy, in cut pieces 8 to 25 yards, many pieces to match, all kinds and colors, made of cork linseed oil and rubber, worth 75c, 85c and $1 a yard; special Wednesday 29c

$2.00 Kitchen Tables, 98c



Like Cut, 98c
For Wednesday special will place on sale 80 elegant Kitchen Tables, well-braced and bolted, nicely finished; a positive $2.00 value; while they last, Wednesday 98c
$5.00 Oak Heating Stove, with heavy casting $1.98
$2.00 Oak Rocker; well braced; saddle seat, each 98c
50c Oil Opaque Window Shade; all colors; complete for 15c

$3.50 Lace Curtains, Handsome floral and Grecian designs, full 3½ yards long by 60 inches wide; made of extra quality net; finished with the famous overlocked edge, for Wednesday's selling only $1.49
75c Lace Curtains; odds and ends, Third Floor 25c
$2.00 Rope Portieres; single or double doors 69c
$3.00 Tapestry Portieres; fringe or border $1.98
15c Curtain Swiss, a yard, Third Floor 5c
$2.00 Bed Spreads, Third Floor 69c

$1.00 Linoleum, four yards wide, Made of cork, linseed oil and rubber; every yard perfect, and as many yards as you want cut from rolls of 120 yards each; extra heavy; covers your floors without any seams; sold by all others for $1.00 and up; special here Wednesday, yard 39c

$20.00 Axminster Rugs; 9x12 ft.; all colors, each $9.98
$12.00 Brussels Rugs; 9x12 ft., in the wanted colors; Wednesday, at $4.98
$3.00 Axminster Rugs; 27x64, in all the wanted colorings, Wednesday, at 98c



$1.50 and $2.00 Inlaid Linoleums, in cut pieces; 2 to 20 yards, at, yard 59c
35c Mattings, reds, greens, tans and two-tone effects, at, yard 10c
$1.00 Brussels Carpets, room, halls and stairs to match, at, yard 39c

Extras.
The extra special items below will be on sale only from
8:30 to 9 a. m.

75c Work Shirts
Extra! 8:30 to 9:00 O'Clock—Wednesday we will offer a great special in Boys' and some Men's Work Shirts for one-half hour only 9c
Basement—Aisle 6.

10c Saxony Yarn
Extra! 8:30 to 9:00 a. m.—A full line of Fleischer's Saxony yarn; all colors, full skeins, for one half hour 2½c

$2.50 Broadcloth
Extra! 8:30 to 9:00 a. m.—54-inch imported Black Chiffon Broadcloth; strictly the finest; dyed, sponged and shrunk; per yard 99c

SPECIAL!
8:30 to 9 O'Clock
We will place on sale Shirting Cheviots, in all stripes and colors, at per yard in Basement—Aisle 1 ..... 5c

15c Butcher Linen
Extra! 8:30 to 9:00 a. m.—We will have on sale in our Linen Department 36-inch wide Butcher's Linen; extra good value for 15c; Wednesday 7½c

$3.50 Mattresses
Extra! 8:30 to 9:00 a. m.—We'll place on sale regular $3.50 and $4.50 Sanitary Mattress, covered with best quality ticking; all sizes; at above time only $1.75

Notion Sale
5c Coats' Thread; black and white 2½c
5c Brass Hooks and Eyes 1c
5c Safety Pins; assorted sizes 1c
5c extra strong Shoe Ties, doz 5c
Main Floor—Aisle 6.

$1 Dress Goods, 29c
36, 44 and 56 inch, all-wool Dress Goods Remnants; from 2 to 15 yard lengths; in light and dark colors and fancy mixtures, that formerly sold from 50c to $1.00 per yard; Wednesday, extra special 29c

$1.25 Kid Gloves
Ladies' and Misses' Kid Gloves; all shades and sizes; for Wednesday only 57c

25c Lisle Gloves
Broken sizes; black and white; two clasps at wrist; special 5c

35c Linen Scarfs
Union Linen Scarfs, 18x54; one-inch row Mexican drawnwork; two-inch hem; Wednesday 25c

$5 Battenberg Piano Scarfs $2.49
A handsome line of Battenberg Piano Scarfs; 12-inch borders; special, Wednesday $2.49

$2 Coney Muffs
Large Sable Coney Pillow Muffs; extra special, Wednesday 98c

$1 Fur Throws
Ladies' and Misses' Fur Throws and Fancy Neck Scarfs; while they last 25c

27-in. Directorie Satin
500 yards of 27-inch Directory Satin, in all evening shades; 50c value, yard 15c

75c Japanese Silk
In every shade; dotted and Jacquard designs; per yard 25c

$1 Sicilian Mohair
$1.00 Sicilian Mohair; 44 and 54 inches wide, in gray, blue and tan, per yard 35c

15c Linen Towels
Fine Linen Huck Towels; 36x18; fast color red borders; actual 15c value; Wednesday special 7½c

English Longcloth
$1.25 extra fine Royal English Longcloth; 36 inches wide; regular 10c per yard; Wednesday special; 10-yard bolt 75c
Main Floor—Aisle 3.

Val. & Torchon Laces
Special lot fine Val. and Torchon Laces up to 3 inches wide; edges and insertions to match 2½c

Soap
Wednesday we will place about 5 cases of the real Cocoanut Oil Toilet Soap; a soap always sold for 3c per cake; only 1c
Main Floor—Aisle 6.

Special
15c Children's Knit Drawers; all sizes 5c
10c Baby's Oilcloth Bibs; different patterns 2½c
15c two-quart graniteite Pudding Pan 5c
5c plain white hemmed Napkins ..... 1²⁄₃c
In our 5c and 10c Dept.—Main Floor, Aisle 5.

Cambric and Muslin for 5c, in Basement

$2 Lace Curtains
One case of fine Nottingham Lace Curtains; 3¼ yards long, 54 inches wide; excellent quality, pretty patterns to select from; Wednesday 69c

Outing Flannel
3 cases of Outing Flannel with heavy fleece to be placed on sale Wednesday as a special, while it lasts 4c
Basement—Aisle 3.

10c Cambric Longcloth Muslin, 1 case genuine Lonsdale Cambric, per yard 5c
42-inch Pillow Casing, 10c—Regular 15c seller; Wednesday, at, per yard 10c
Amoskeag Feather Proof Ticking; guaranteed to hold feathers; sale price, per yd 15c
10c Unbleached Muslin, 5c—36 inches wide; just the thing for sheets and slips, at, per yard 5c

$2 Ladies' Shoes
500 pairs of Ladies' High Shoes, in button only; positively all leathers. Don't fail to attend this rare sale; come early and get your size, pair 69c

15c Percale
500 yards of fine weave Percale; 36 inches wide, in solid colors; just the thing for ladies' dresses, at, per yard 7½c

Sale of Work Shirts in Basement

25c Drawers
Ladies' Muslin Drawers; made of good quality cambric, with deep flounce; Wednesday special 13c
Basement—Aisle 5.

$3.00 Waists
$3.00 Ladies' beautiful White Shirt Waists, with lace or embroidery fronts and tucked back; latest styles; Wednesday sale price 98c

$1.00 Men's Work Shirts, in all colors and sizes; Wednesday sale price 39c
15c Pine Combs; Wednesday sale price 1c
Men's silk-finished Hose, in all colors of the rainbow; on sale Wednesday 7½c
$2.00 Dresser Scarfs, in Battenberg and openwork; Wednesday sale price 98c
Basement.

15c Sauce Pans
8:30 TO 9:00 SPECIAL
10 gross blue and white lined Sauce Pans; 1-quart size; best ware; best quality; to go in this clearing sale price 5c
Basement—Aisle 7.

25c Acorn Waists
Wednesday we will place on sale Acorn Underwaists; sizes 2 to 12 ..... 10c
Aisle 5—Basement.

SPECIAL 8:30 to 9
$10 and $15 Ladies' Coats, $1.00

$15 Ladies' Coats
These are all full-length garments, tight fitted, plaited and plain tailored effects; choice Wednesday $4.95

$5 Ladies' Skirts
Elegant Skirts, made of all-wool chiffon Panama material; full plaited, plain tailored or satin trimmed; Wednesday $2.50

Special 9 to 9:30
$3 Ladies' Waists, 25c

$2 Children's Coats
Of all-wool material; mixture and plain cloth; button trimmed; sizes 8 to 14 years; Wed. only 50c

$5 Silk Waists
Allover embroidered front black taffeta Silk Waists; Wednesday $1.65

SPECIAL 9:30 to 10
$1 Men's Negligee Shirts, 19c
Main Floor—Aisle 8.

Woolen Top Shirts
Men's Woolen Flannel Shirts, in navy blue, brown and green; cut full; nicely finished with pearl buttons; 98c value 29c

$1 Men's Sweaters
Men's and Boys' Woolen Coat Sweaters, in solid gray, including colored border; finished nicely; big pearl buttons; $1.00 value 33c

JOHNSON BROS.' $1.00 OPTICAL SALE

Is an unusual event and the most important Optical Sale that occurs in St. Louis. Cut out coupon below and come this week.

POST-DISPATCH COUPON



Don't miss our big Dollar Optical Sale. Bring this Coupon and come any day this week.

Pure Gold Filled
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Spectacles or Eyeglasses
Fitted with genuine Crystal Lenses, including a thorough test of the eyes by our Dr. Myhre $1.00
This is the big original Dollar Optical Sale, and is made to test the drawing power of the St. Louis papers, and to get everyone in St. Louis acquainted with our big Optical Department. Don't get this confused with the cheap dollar glasses sold over the city, but what you will pay $5.00 for at any first-class optician.
Optical Department will remain open Saturday night and Sunday morning.

Johnson Bros.' Drug Prices Worth Studying

Mellin's Food	38c and 85c	Scott's Emulsion	38c and 78c
Nestle's Food, 38c; 2 for	75c	Kilmer's Swamp Root	39c and 71c
Horlick's Malted Milk, 38c,	75c, $2.19	Duffy's Malt Whiskey	77c
Borden's Malted Milk, 38c,	75c, $2.19	Hostetter's Bitters	77c
M. I. S. T. No. 2	67c	Peruna	67c
Red Cross Gauze, 1 yard	10c	Lepactic Pills, 100 bottle	35c
Red Cross Gauze, 5 yards	35c	S. S. S., $1.00 bottle	69c
Red Cross Cotton, pound carton	35c	S. S. S., $1.75 bottle	$1.19
Ideal Absorbent Cotton, pound roll	35c	Wine of Cardui	67c
Sal. Hepatica	23c and 44c	Pinkham's Vegetable Compound	35c, 75c
California Syrup Figs	34c	Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets	35c and 72c
Johnson's Emulsion, contains 50 per cent Norwegian Cod Liver Oil	75c	Doan's Kidney Pills	32c
		De Lacy's Cin-Ko-Na and Iron—If you want a good strengthening, blood-building tonic try this	35c

FOUNTAIN SYRINGES
A good satisfactory Syringe is one that won't leak. The "Bull Dog" can't leak. It's simply one piece of rubber with no seams to leak. If it does in one year's time bring it back and get a new one free.
No. 2 ..... 98c No. 3 ..... $1.15

HOT WATER BOTTLES
The "Bull Dog" is one you can depend on. It's made from one piece of solid rubber with no seams to leak. It's a bottle that should last a lifetime. A new one free if it leaks in one year.
No. 2 ..... 98c No. 3 ..... $1.15

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We make a specialty of a good hardwood maple Crutch; hand turned; all sizes; pair $1.25

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Abdominal Supporters
Most complete line west of New York—two experienced ladies. $1.50, $2.00, $3.00, $3.50 to $8.00

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